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THE EAST.

Three Thousand Words per Minute--The Last Telegraphic Achievement.

The New Line Completed from New York to Cleveland.

A Bold Thief Captures $70,000 in Bonds in Broad Daylight.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

NEW YORK, March 2.--The *Sun* describes the trial of the new postal telegraph company's wires to Cleveland yesterday, as successful in sending 3000 words in a minute. A dispatch of that length is cut up into seven parts, or takes, as copy is given out to printers. These are transferred by seven operators to cylinders, which are set simultaneously in motion, and transmit the message over one wire. The company claims it can send eight and receive eight dispatches at the same time, over the same wire. The two wires in use between here and Cleveland are steel, heavily insulated in copper. The poles are 80 feet high, of unusual size and strength, 40 of them to the mile. It is claimed the wires are of such

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that the electric current on them will not be disturbed by storms and atmospheric changes. They claim these improvements will bring Chicago telegraphically as near New York as Philadelphia, and San Francisco as near as Cleveland compares with the best wire now in use. Capital stock of the company [illegible], in $100 shares. It has issued $1,000,[illegible] first mortgage six per cent. 30-year gold bonds. The president of the company is Alonzo [illegible] of Boston. G. D. Roberts, S. V. White and [illegible] Jordan, of this city, and Gov. Foster, of [illegible] Elisha Gray, of Chicago, are on the [illegible]. The company says it will construct lines extending from New York to San [illegible] and to all other large cities of the United [illegible] and Mexico.

Cutting Telegraph Wires.

[illegible] March 2.--When the Mutual Union Telegraph company was granted the right of way into [illegible] a provision was inserted in the franchise [illegible] company to remove the poles and put [illegible] ground before March 1, 1883. This [illegible] done, and to-day by order of the mayor [illegible] of the company at the southern city [illegible] and the police stationed to prevent [illegible] from putting them up again. The [illegible] Telegraph company has no franchise [illegible] were cut together with the wires [illegible] the Baltimore and Ohio company. [illegible] of the Mutual Union and Board of [illegible] in this city are entirely cut off [illegible] world, and one press association is [illegible] getting its news inside the city [illegible] messenger. The Mutual Union [illegible] to comply with the ordinance [illegible] ground but they did not prove [illegible] require all telegraph wires to [illegible] before May 1, and the city [illegible] to cut the wires of the Western [illegible].

Cable Cars.

[illegible] March 2.--Regarding adopting the [illegible] Henry Hart, one of the principal [illegible] of the Third avenue road, said [illegible] of the Ninth avenue road will [illegible] road on Tenth avenue. We [illegible] which system of the cable road [illegible] will probably adopt the best [illegible] now in use." The president [illegible] has inspected the working [illegible] San Francisco and Chicago. If the [illegible] on Tenth avenue, it will [illegible] the One Hundred and Twenty-fifth [illegible] from East to North river, and [illegible] be used on the Third avenue [illegible].

[illegible] Contest the Will.

[illegible] 2.--The will of D. M. Chauncey, [illegible] who lately dropped dead from [illegible] is contested as has become the [illegible] large estates are involved. [illegible] in California, starting as [illegible] 1850 he built the *Alta* office, on [illegible] of the first brick buildings. [illegible] elected state assessor. The [illegible] contestants of the will is his [illegible]. If the will is broken Michael [illegible] the eldest son, and is set down in [illegible] will inherit about $100,000.

[illegible] Expedition.

[illegible] 2.--The scientific expedition [illegible] to the South Pacific, to observe [illegible], consists of Prof. E. S. [illegible]; Dr. C. S. Hastings, of [illegible], of Tarrytown, and E. [illegible] Upton and Lieut. Brown [illegible]. Two gentlemen from [illegible] England will join the party at [illegible].

[illegible] of the Week.

[illegible] 2.--Business failures for the [illegible] reported to R. G. Dun & Co., [illegible] of 48 as compared with the [illegible] distributed as follows: New [illegible] 36, southern 65, western 9, Pacific [illegible] 13, Canada and the British [illegible] 101, Toronto 2.

[illegible] Story Started.

[illegible] 2.--The *Herald* says: "Insurance [illegible] shows that the story [illegible] influenced in the discharge of [illegible] grew out of the fact that his deputy [illegible] at the time, now dead, made an [illegible] Knickerbocker Life Insurance [illegible] company sent him a check covering [illegible] traveling expenses, which check [illegible] funds of the department."

Arrested for Libel.

[illegible], Pa., March 2.--Col. S. E. McClure of [illegible], was arrested to-day on a [illegible]. On the oath of John Gallagher, [illegible] in the capitol, he put out gross articles, [illegible] *Times*, in reference to Irish Catholic [illegible] distributed during the recent gubernatorial [illegible], purported to have been signed by [illegible] and others. McClure gave bail.

Big Cattle Sale.

[illegible], Tex., March 2.--A huge trade in cattle [illegible] completed. Luther P. Smith, late [illegible], now of Denver, Col., and Florence [illegible] city, have purchased a half interest [illegible] of Carnes & Forsythe Bro's cattle [illegible] 21,000 head of cattle and 50,000 [illegible]. The consideration was $300,000.

Relief Suggestion.

[illegible], March 2.--A special from London says [illegible] of the Canadian Pacific syndicate, [illegible] in the London press for relieving [illegible] by the assistance of the emigration [illegible] agriculturists to the Canadian northwest [illegible], and offers to provide capital for [illegible] way of Evans.

Convicted of Bribery.

[illegible], Ohio, March 2.--The jury in the case [illegible], lobbyist, charged with an attempt [illegible] Representative Black of Cleveland, last [illegible] morning returned a verdict of guilty. [illegible] is from three to ten years in the penitentiary. [illegible] was reserved.

Has not Failed.

[illegible], March 2.--The president of the furnace [illegible] at Steubenville says the company has [illegible] and has devised an extension on their [illegible]. As soon as the iron trade improves the furnace [illegible] can be started in 48 hours. If not, the affairs [illegible] of the company will be wound up.

Suspend Operations.

[illegible], Me., March 2.--The directors of the Dexter [illegible] mills have decided to entirely suspend [illegible]. The corporations own three of the [illegible] mills here. Their employes, when in full [illegible], number about 350. The principal reason [illegible] price of wool.

More than Wanted.

[illegible], March 2.--The entire subscription to the [illegible] Central securities under circular No. 8 [illegible] at the close of the books to $7,229,500, or [illegible] more than asked for. It is said the syndicate [illegible] but a million.

The Insane Laws.

NEW YORK, March 2.--The *Tribune* praises California's proposed new law respecting insane murderers, and says: "We venture that with a law like the California one in force, we should hear very little of insane murders."

Erie Revives.

NEW YORK, March 2.--It is stated in Wall street that the return of D. O. Mills from Cuba has been followed by a marked increase of interest in Erie stock, which has not been much in favor of late among the outside public.

Depot and Hotel.

[illegible], March 2.--The Northern Pacific Railroad company has arranged to build a depot for the Northern Pacific at Portland, Oregon, and to erect a hotel to be known as the Portland.

Vetoes the Five Cent Bill.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 2.--The governor has returned to the assembly the bill reducing the rate of fare on New York elevated railroads, with a message giving his reason therefor.

Want it Vetoed.

NEW YORK, March 2.--Three hundred citizens of New York, representing over $1,000,000,000 capital, petitioned Governor Cleveland to veto the five cent bill for elevated roads.

A Small Defalcation.

DALLAS, Tex., March 2.--In El Paso county Sheriff [illegible] is short $5000 in his accounts, and Clerk [illegible] is in a similar predicament.

Declared a Dividend.

NEW YORK, March 2.--The board of directors of the Chicago and Northwestern railroad to-day declared a quarterly dividend of 2 per cent on preferred stock, payable the 18th inst.

POLITICAL.

Palmer Elected.

DETROIT, March 1.--Five votes were taken to-day for senator. On the fourth a break was made in favor of Palmer, Stockbridge's forces [illegible]. On the fifth Thomas W. Palmer, of Detroit, received 75 votes and was declared elected. [illegible] 31 votes have been a turning contest.

DISTANCE LENDS ENCHANTMENT.

[illegible] had a fine figure, good face and pretty hands [illegible] should see her at a distance. When she began to [illegible] was reached that she never used SOZODONT [illegible] breath was unlike the breezes of Araby the blest.

THE STAR ROUTE TRIAL.

Full Text of Rerdell's Letter to Bosler, Explaining his Intentions.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

WASHINGTON, March 1.--Following is the full text of the letter from Rerdell to Bosler, referred to in these dispatches yesterday.

Rerdell to Bosler, May 22, '81. A. Bosler, Dear Sir--Yours of yesterday to hand, with enclosures of $500 for Steele to start west, and who will go to-night. On last night I was subpoenaed to go before the appropriation committee to-day at 10:30 A. M., and to bring all the books and papers relating to the star route contracts belonging to S. W. Dorsey. I immediately telegraphed you to that effect, asking what I should do. I am now just in receipt of your reply, saying no harm could come of the books being made public. In this we all here think very different, from the following reasons:

First--The books would show very large profits, and would be used by the committee as an additional argument that all expedited routes should be readjusted.

Second--There are several entries giving "B" credit for large cash payments made to James Smith and Samuel Jones.

Third--I understand the committee will try to show he had an interest in the mail routes before last year.

I appeared before the committee this morning and got excused till Monday, but before doing so I drew up answers, after getting advice of counsel, that I could not produce the books and papers asked for until I had consulted with Dorsey. This answer I shall hand to the committee on Monday and endeavor by every means to delay my examination until I hear from Dorsey. There is much more in this than you think. I would like to hear from you about it. Gen. B. is very much alarmed and he and I had a long conversation to-day, during which he made several valuable suggestions, which I shall follow. I will not produce the book until advised by you or Dorsey to do so, as I shall claim that I am his attorney, and as such am not disposed to divulge certain matters. I would be glad to hear from you by Monday morning. Very truly,

M. C. RERDELL.

Ingersoll asked if it didn't astonish witness when Bosler telegraphed him that he saw no harm in showing the books to the committee, and that too after Dorsey had written, in the letter of May 13, 1879, "T. J. B."

Witness answered: It did not, because at that time Bosler knew nothing of the manner of keeping the books and never saw them so far as known.

Mrs. Alice C. Cushman and Mrs. Rerdell testified that while Rerdell was in jail they went to his office and found his papers in confusion.

John W. Donnelly was the next witness. He copied Dorsey's books for Rerdell, in 1881; referred to the accounts of Dorsey and Wm. Smith; some of the accounts, notably Wm. Smith's, were omitted from the copies; Rerdell marked with a pencil those entries that he wished omitted; could not remember the exact amount of the Smith accounts; believed it was about $30,000; in balancing the books that amount was carried to profit and loss; two or three accounts were so transferred; did not remember any entry against Belford, Tyner, A. M. Gibson, Lilley, McGrew or J. B. B. Chase.

Gibbs, cashier of the Ebbitt house, took the stand. Had known Rerdell since the fall of 1879; between Christmas, 1879, and March, 1880, his wife and self copied the books and papers and letters for Rerdell; the books copied contained the accounts, expenditures and receipts of the mail route business; remembered entries under the heads of Rerdell, S. W. and J. W. Dorsey, Steel, Smith, Jones and Jennings; Rerdell said he wanted to send a copy to Dorsey, who was then in New York.

After the examination of some papers, adjourned.

WASHINGTON, March 2.

The government called Chas. H. Hooper to the stand in the star route trial this morning. Witness is bookkeeper for Donnell, Lawson & Co., bankers of New York, and identified the warrant drawn to the order of John M. Peck, deposited by T. W. Ferray, Dorsey's bookkeeper, to Dorsey's credit, on August 19, 1880.

Bliss pointed out that the warrant had been drawn on August 10th, and bore Peck's endorsement, although the evidence showed that he was then in New Mexico.

Wilbur H. Smith and Carl McClellan, the former employe on the Bismarck and Tongue river route, gave testimony concerning service over that route. McClellan corroborated the statement of witness Pennell, in many particulars. He said John Dorsey told him they expected to get the service increased, perhaps in three months, to be tri-weekly, and in three months more to a daily service. He expected to lose money on the weekly service, but after the expedition and increase expected to realize $150,000. He said his brother, Senator Dorsey, was chairman of the postoffice committee and through his influence he expected to get the increase. He referred to Senator Dorsey and Second Assistant Postmaster General Brady, and said it did not make any difference whether or not the carriers got through on time. They had an understanding with the second assistant postmaster general, had organized a ring in Washington, but did not say who were in the ring. Gathered from the conversation that they meant J. W. Dorsey, Senator Dorsey and others.

Wilson, in noting exception to one of Judge Wylie's rulings, offered to prove that employes of the government had agreed to secure extra pay for witnesses, and were to receive a consideration therefor.

Isaac Cubell, who had been employed by Dorsey in establishing the Bismarck and Tongue river route, corroborated the testimony of preceding witnesses concerning the conversation with J. W. Dorsey.

The witness was subjected to a severe cross-examination but his direct testimony was not shaken.

Inspector Patrick Woodward was next called and told how and where the official papers had been kept and certified that the petition of the Canon City and Fort McDermott route did bear the file mark of the government.

Postmaster Lounsberry, of Bismarck, testified that since he left the stand, John Dorsey told him he was glad he had not been examined relative to the proposed postoffice on the Little Missouri river. That was the only wrong he had done in this whole business. Witness explained that in December 1878, John Dorsey presented for his signature a petition for the establishment of that postoffice. This petition the witness refused to sign because there was no settlement there, nor was there a necessity for one at that point.

Henkel offered to prove that Lounsberry, in June, 1878, knew of Rerdell's effort to establish that postoffice, and that he told him as soon as Vaile heard of it he set his foot down upon it as one of Rerdell's damned foolish schemes. The court refused to go into the subject.

A. Boone was then recalled and questioned in regard to the handwriting of the papers of this monstrous proceeding, and at a late hour witness reached 38 (?) in a myriad of papers.

At this point Bliss said at the next session he expected to complete this work, and with the introduction of 92 volumes, showing the revenues and costs, the government would close its case, unless something unforeseen should arise.

Ingersoll gave notice that he would require a day in which to cross-examine Boone. The court said it would adjourn the case until Tuesday next to afford an opportunity on Monday to execute the preliminaries incident upon the beginning of the term; meanwhile it would be well for the defense to occupy the intervening time in preparation for the presentation of their case.

Davidge and Ingersoll seemed to regard the proposed allowance of time as insufficient, but without finally passing upon the question, the court intimated that further time would not be allowed, and adjourned until Tuesday.

Big Fees.

In the first star route trial, Bliss, special counsel for the government, was paid $15,000, besides hotel and railroad expenses, and since then has received several thousand dollars. Merrick was given about the same amount, and Kerr extracted from the federal treasury $17,000 or more within the past year.

CRIMINAL NOTES.

Bold Robbery.

PHILADELPHIA, March 2.--While John S. Brown, treasurer of Guarantee Trust & Safe Deposit Co., was in the office of the president of that corporation, a sneak thief entered the private apartment of the treasurer's office, and stole $70,000 in consolidated five per cent. bonds of the People's Passenger Railway Co. The treasurer had just taken the bonds from a tin box, cut off the March coupons and laid the bundle on top of the box, while he stepped into the president's room. When he returned the bonds were gone. The directors of the company, sitting in the president's room, say they saw a strange man pass out from behind the railing.

The Elliott Murder.

CHICAGO, March 2.--There is little to add to the account sent last night of the shooting match between Jere Dunn and Jim Elliott, in which the latter was killed and the former wounded twice. It remains an open question as to which fired the first shot. [illegible] and others say Dunn fired first and that Elliott had no pistol. His belief is that Dunn had two revolvers and that in the struggle Elliott got hold of one of them. Dunn and his friends insist that Elliott fired both shots which hit Dunn before the latter fired. Dunn remains under arrest. He is suffering considerable from his wounds. The inquest over Elliott's remains will be held to-morrow.

A Crazy Farmer.

[illegible], Dakota, March 2.--[illegible] farmer living 12 miles [illegible], attempted to kill his wife with a sledge, leaving her for dead. He went out and hanged himself. [illegible]

How the Quarrel Started.

NEW YORK, March 2.--[illegible]

Guilty of Murder.

[illegible]

FAILURES.

Hide and Leather Firm.

NEW YORK, March 2.--[illegible] hides and leather [illegible]. The firm refuse to make any statement.

Jewelers.

SHENANDOAH, Pa., March 2.--The failure of H. [illegible], jeweler, is announced. Liabilities heavy.

[illegible]

CONGRESS.

The Wordy War made by Van Voorhees upon Page, of California.

The River and Harbor Bill Adopted by the House.

Senator Cameron Informs Van Wyck that he Talks too Much.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Senate.

WASHINGTON, March 1.

THURSDAY EVENING SESSION.

On motion of Harris, an item of $25,000 was inserted for a national board of health. It was then reported from the committee to the senate and the amendments adopted in committee were agreed to, and the bill passed.

The river and harbor bill having been received from the house, Edmunds objected to its second reading; ordered printed.

After an executive session the senate adjourned.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION.

Van Wyck presented the credentials of Charles N. Manderson, elected senator from Nebraska, and the president presented the credentials of his successor, as senator from Illinois Shelby M. Cullom; read and filed.

McMillan moved to refer the river and harbor bill to the committee on commerce.

Edmunds opposed the motion, insisting that the bill should go to the foot of the calendar, but was refused.

Edmunds gave notice that when the motion should be reported from the committee he would oppose the consideration.

Anthony offered a resolution reciting the announcement by President pro tem. Davis of his intention to resign at noon to-morrow, and providing that at that hour the senate will proceed to elect his successor; adopted.

The bill making the law of 1878, relating to claim agents and attorneys in pension cases, applicable to bounty land cases, etc., was passed as a bill to amend the pension laws and for other purposes.

The senate conference report on the District of Columbia appropriation bill was agreed to.

Plumb, of the conference committee on the postoffice appropriation bill, reported that the conferees failed to agree upon the provisions of the bill.

The appropriation for a fast mail service, and legislation relating to Pacific railroads, report was agreed to, and new conferees appointed.

Bills providing for the admission, free of duty, of articles intended for the Louisville and Denver expositions, were passed.

On motion of Logan, a resolution was adopted providing for a select committee to examine into the condition of the Sioux Indians upon their reservations.

After executive session, Allison, Hale and Beck were appointed conferees on the sundry civil bill.

Logan submitted conference report on the army appropriation bill; agreed to. The item limiting the compensation to be paid subsidized railroads for army transportation was stricken from the bill.

In speaking of the pending business of the bill excluding public lands in Alabama from operation of laws relating to mineral lands, Van Wyck criticized the large compensation allowed special attorneys engaged in the star route cases, and the department of justice in allowing such large amounts. He hoped the stories told at street corners as to the extravagance of the department, were not true. Taking up the vouchers of Geo. Bliss, he ridiculed the charges made therein, quoting such items as "twenty cents for sleeping-car porter," and "five cents for stamps." The vouchers showed that he was allowed $150 a day and expenses. Merrick, another lawyer, received even larger per diem, but (he lived in Washington) the vouchers did not show that he charged for board. It was perfectly plain now why these state continued so long as they did--six months' trial in an ordinary case. It was an inducement to these men to continue the suit six months, and also a temptation to hang the jury, if it was true they did. He did not say they did. That course for the administration of justice in the District of Columbia should be excused for six months in a common case was an outrage which ought not to be tolerated. No greater disgrace had ever been connected with jurisprudence in any country other than that which had been exhibited in the treatment of cases in the District of Columbia. He desired that the people should be protected from such outrages. It had always been in the past that the republican party furnished its own thieves. Only lately had it discovered why Howgate's prison doors opened to him. It seemed Howgate was a democrat, and as the republican party was only under obligation to punish republican thieves, of course Howgate got off. Without any doubt these performances are equally as infamous as the star route robberies, and was equally a conspiracy to rob the government, in a suit which ought to be treated as an ordinary suit. Grand lawyers were gathered together by the department of justice and allowed to place their hands in the treasury to any depth they choose, and extend the time any length they choose. There was nothing to limit them in price or in the term of their continuance. He knew of another case where a member of congress was employed by the district attorney, M. I. Townsend, as special attorney when the department of justice knew that he should be attending to his duties at Washington, and for these special services he received $6000. Where was protection for the people when the head of the department of justice had not only tolerated but inaugurated such proceedings.

Cameron, of Pennsylvania--Do you mean to say that he got one dollar for it?

Van Wyck--Oh, no.

Cameron--Then you'd be careful how you talk--be more careful how you talk. You must stop now; stop here.

Van Wyck--I am glad my friend comes to the rescue. I tried to do it, but the force of facts were against it.

"You are--" began Cameron threateningly, but stopped.

"I have not said the attorney general took any of this money."

"You talk too much; don't talk any more in that way," replied Cameron.

Van Wyck--I don't pretend the attorney general took any of this money, but when he put his signature "Brewster" to these vouchers--when he allowed $50 a day for hotel expenses--when at one time he allowed $5.5 for telegrams, and at another time 5 cents--when he allows 21 cents for messenger; when he allows Bliss not only traveling expenses but a sleeping car and 50 cents for a porter, I say he does things which any man in his senses knows not to be right. I don't pretend that he obtained any of this money himself, but this mode of extracting money from a treasury is no better than the star route method--none whatever.

Logan said: This proceeding of the senator from Nebraska is so remarkable, so unprecedented that he would ask the senator whether the papers which he was "referring" to were the original papers from the attorney general's office.

Van Wyck said they were copies which had been called for by the senate resolution.

"Did the papers come into the possession of the senator?" asked Logan.

"Into the possession of the senate," replied Van Wyck.

Logan--Does the senator intend to refer them to the committee?

Van Wyck--I intend to do so.

Logan--But the senator takes an opportunity of making a general attack on the attorney general's department without reference to any report, or anything whatever, except to get this harangue before the country. Continuing, Logan said: The course of the senator from Nebraska is so undignified, and so wide a departure from the usual method of proceeding in the senate that, without desiring to enter into the merits of the case he felt justified in saying that if such a speech was made by any man outside, while the trial of these men charged with robbing the government was going on, the country would understand the speaker to be an attorney for the defendants.

Van Wyck said he felt it his duty to ascertain whether the charges made against the department of justice were true, and when the treasury reports at one time bore the attorney general's own signature, "Brewster," showing that $150 a day was paid one of these attorneys, there was no need to wait for a report of any committee, and he felt it to be his duty to make this "harangue," as the senator called it, and put the facts before the people. The senator from Illinois said if a man outside made such a speech he would be regarded as an attorney for the defendants. Is it possible, said Van Wyck, that is the way the gentleman or attorney general make these charges, if what I read is true, and it is true, surely it demands an answer [illegible]. [illegible] treasury plundered or plundered it is, by conspirators, star routers or in any other way. In a country where justice is correctly administered, would it be possible to have an ordinary or manifest [illegible] presented as this star route trial has been? [illegible] the treasury had been [illegible]. What had been saved by the former [illegible] attorney general was being spent by eminent lawyers [illegible]. [illegible] that these papers be printed and be referred to [illegible] committee. Referred accordingly.

The senate then took a recess until 7:30 P. M.

House.

[illegible]

The speaker laid before the house a communication [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] While he was [illegible] mary punishment.

[illegible] Robinson, of New York: "And is nothing more. He [illegible] explanation under these circumstances."

McLane: "But it never entered my mind that a [illegible] the gentleman from New York, previous to the words taken down and addressed to the gentleman from California, as chairman of the commerce committee knew perfectly well what he addressed his language, and it is fresh in the minds of every member of the house that last night we were discredited and disgraced by this same gentleman from New York. He then addressed the chairman of the commerce committee in language, although it could if could give no grace to the gentleman from California, that gave infinite disgrace to this house, and the gentleman from New York who uttered the language last night. He made some reference to the gentleman's early life, and spoke of him as a mule driver, and stage driver. It would be quite in the line of current retort if the gentleman from California had said to the gentleman that if he had been born a mule driver, or stage driver, he would have remained such probably to the present hour. [Laughter and applause.]

"I call the gentleman himself to order," interrupted Hiscock.

McLane--I am quite in order.

The speaker--The chair must caution the gentleman. It is not in order to make personal remarks.

"Take his words down," suggested some of the members, while Mills and Atherton, in an excited manner held an indignant colloquy with McLane, who, folding his arms, defiantly said:

"I know what I have said. Take my words down."

The demand was withdrawn, and McLane, continuing, said that he only referred to the language used by Van Voorhees last night in order to show the animus which impelled the affair this evening. He (McLane) was satisfied that the house had not only reached a point of order where an example was necessary, but he regretted to say it had found an individual who ought to be made that example. [Applause.]

Mills vehemently protested against a man being tried without a hearing, and some apparently sharp words passed between him and McLane, which could not be heard on account of the great confusion in the hall.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION.

The conference report on the District of Columbia appropriation was agreed to.

Caswell submitted a conference report on the postoffice appropriation bill, which states that continued disagreement on the items providing for special mail facilities, and limiting the compensation to be paid to subsidized railroads.

Robinson, of Massachusetts, moved that the house recede from its disagreement to the two amendments and agree to the same. Agreed to. The effect of this vote is to pass the bill retaining the appropriation of $185,000 for special mail facilities, and limiting the compensation to be paid to subsidized railroads for mail transportation.

In the contested election case of Buchanan vs. Manning, of Mississippi, resolution was adopted confirming the right of Manning to the seat.

The house refused to consider the contested case of Sessinghaus vs. Frost.

Bingham moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill to adjust the salaries of postmasters. Bingham explained the object of the bill is to adjust the salaries of 47,000 postmasters. This has been rendered necessary by the action of congress in reducing the rate of postage, to take effect on the 1st of October next. This measure met with the approval of the department and was considered by the postoffice commission as the best and fairest proposition that could be drawn. The bill retained the present classifications of postmasters as to the first class. The bill carried $64,000 additional compensation. The salaries of postmasters at St. Louis, Chicago, Boston, and Philadelphia were increased from $4000 to $6000, and at Cincinnati, Baltimore, San Francisco and Washington from $4000 to $5000. Compensation to second and third class postmasters remained as at present. The rate the commission grants to fourth class postmasters has been changed, so they would receive about the same compensation under the two cent law.

McMillan and Coleman opposed the bill.

Motion was agreed to--175 to 12--and the bill passed.

Carpenter, under instructions from the committee on education and labor, called up the senate bill amending the act granting public lands to the several states and territories which may provide colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts, passed.

At the conclusion of an hour the senate amendments to the sundry civil bill appropriations were nonconcurred in.

Spaulding, under instructions of the committee on Indian affairs, called up the bill appropriating out of the Cheyenne and Arapahoe Indian funds $12,000 for the relief of Powers, Newman and others, passed.

Herbert, under instructions of the committee on public buildings and grounds, called up the bill for the erection of a public building at San Antonio, Tex., objected to.

Under operation of the Pound rule the following proceedings occurred. Pound, under instructions of the committee on public lands, moved to take up and pass the bill to confirm certain land titles in Wisconsin, agreed to.

Butterworth moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill to authorize the Southern Pacific and other railroad companies to unite and consolidate to form a continuous line of railroad from the tidal waters of the Pacific ocean to the Gulf of Mexico. Butterworth explained the bill simply authorized the consolidation of nine roads, to form a continuous line from the Pacific to the Gulf of Mexico. In order to meet every objection the bill had been amended in many particulars. No authority was given to the consolidation of the road to operate branches and spurs, and a provision had been inserted prohibiting the consolidation of any parallel or competitive line. There was also a provision that nothing in the act should be construed to relieve any of the companies from the consequences of any failure to perform any act required by any law, or any provision in their charters, nor should anything be construed to revive or confirm any land grant to any railroad company, whether made by the United States or by any state. The bill also protected the states and their citizens in controversies which arose with any of the consolidated companies, nor did the act deprive any court, any state, of jurisdiction over controversies between the companies and the citizens of such state, nor to extend jurisdiction of the United States courts over those controversies.

After discussion and without action the matter went over.

On motion of Strait, the senate bill was passed in relation to certain fees allowed registers and receivers. It provides that fees allowed registers and receivers for testimony reduced by them to writing for claimants in re-establishing pre-emptory homestead rights and mineral entries, shall not be considered or taken into account in determining the maximum compensation of said officers.

Flower moved to suspend the rules and pass the joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment, granting the president power to veto specific items in bills making an appropriation of money, while approving of the remaining items in such bills; lost, 119 to 68. Not the necessary two-thirds voting in the affirmative.

The speaker laid before the house a communication from the secretary of the navy, transmitting the report of inquiry into the loss of the Jeannette; referred. Recess.

Finally Van Voorhees was accorded the floor and standing in the center of the aisle, said he had been very earnestly opposed to the river and harbor bill. In opposing it he found it difficult to be heard, in consequence of the confusion in the house, so that in addressing the chair he always found it necessary to speak with a good deal of power and difficulty. In other words, he had been compelled to raise his voice to its extreme strength. He was not an orator, and his friend from Maryland, (McLane) was. His vocabulary was much more meagre than that gentleman's, and sometimes he might express his opinion in words other than that gentleman would. What he intended in the instance before the house was simply to characterize the measure under consideration. He had not the slightest intention to be personal to anybody, nor had he supposed he was using language different from what others used with perfect impunity. So far as the chairman of the committee on commerce was concerned, he had not the slightest feeling toward him that was unfriendly or malicious. He wished to withdraw the words to which exception was taken, stating that when he used them he did not intend to apply them to the chairman of the committee on commerce or make any personal application. He wanted to express his disapproval of the measure, and he had no intention of making any personal allusion to anybody. He regretted that any exception should be taken, and that he was under the necessity of withdrawing these words. [Laughter.] He desired to make the fullest apology to the house for having used the words.

McLane then withdrew his resolution, but Herbert, of Alabama offered another resolution, censuring Van Voorhees, and a wordy discussion ensued, insisting that a retraction did not wipe out the offense. [illegible] what they [illegible] would convict the house [illegible].

[illegible] that the resolution be withdrawn, in the interest of business, but Herbert declined.

[illegible] moved that the resolution be laid on the table. Lost, [illegible].

[illegible]

The house again went into committee of the whole.

Van Voorhees withdrew his amendment, stating he [illegible]

[illegible] to said all he desired to say before the committee [illegible]. The following amendments were made:

[illegible] directing the secretary of war to make such [illegible] as are necessary to [illegible] of rivers and harbors from [illegible] by the deposit of refuse or other matter.

[illegible] providing that no contract [illegible] shall be entered upon, the improvement on the road to the large number of amendments.

The committee rose and reported the bill to the house.

Anderson moved to recommit the bill with instructions to the committee on commerce to report a bill appropriating $[illegible] to be expended under the direction of the secretary of war; lost.

The bill then passed, yeas 122, nays 59. Adjourned.

EVENING SESSION.

In the evening session the Frost-Sessinghaus contested election case came up, Frost occupying half an hour in the defense of his right to retain his seat. He said he knew the fiat had gone forth, and his head was in the hangman's noose. He was ready to depart under a judgment of a partisan tribunal, but he would be followed in two days by the speaker and his party, who had been condemned by the people. After further debate a resolution deciding Sessinghaus entitled to a seat was adopted--[illegible] to 110. Sessinghaus was then sworn in, taking the ironclad oath.

Cannon made a conference report on the legislative appropriation bill. The bill as agreed to in conference appropriates $20,404,204. Atkins said he had not signed the report because the amendment of the house requiring a certain number of internal revenue collectors had been abandoned.

FOREIGN NEWS.

ENGLAND.

The Extradition Treaty.

LONDON, March 2.--The *Law Times* in an article on the application for the extradition of Sheridan, points out the proviso excluding the perpetrators of political crimes from extradition, does not occur in the Ashburton treaty. It says that it does include murder, and by the decisions rendered in New York, the crime of murder includes being accessory thereto. The question is strictly a legal one. The *Law Times* says the utmost charge that can be brought against Sheridan is conspiracy to murder. This offense, therefore, is not within strict terms of the treaty, but the United States has a discretionary power in the matter.

Bargaining for a Birthright.

LONDON, March 2.--Private advices from Hamburg state that Hanover and Prussia have renewed negotiations with the duke of Cumberland in regard to his renunciation of any claim to the throne of the kingdom of Hanover, on the basis of a guarantee of the duchy of Brunswick, which would be raised to a grand duchy, and the payment of indemnity.

A Liberal Gift.

LONDON, March 2.--The owners and underwriters of the steamer Quebec at Liverpool, fifty days from Portland, being disabled, will award the captain £1000. The captain is also appointed to the command of the steamer Brooklyn.

IRELAND.

Badly Wounded.

DUBLIN, March 2.--An Irish American named Mulbrow, a relative of Miles Joyce, was badly wounded in an attack on Joyce and family at Cl[illegible]field. He is the person accused of murdering a man named Doherty in 1881.

Points from Dublin.

DUBLIN, March 2.--The authorities blame the English police for the escape of "Number One." Fifty suspicious persons have left the country since the inquiry at the castle began.

Joy Farrell has turned informer.

Three suspects started for Liverpool on leaving the court in a hurry, and they were seen to embark on the steamer Germany for America.

It is said A. M. Sullivan declines to act as counsel for persons charged with the Phoenix park assassination.

Another Arrest.

DUBLIN, March 2.--Another arrest in connection with the murder conspiracy recently disclosed here, has been made at Tullamore. It is expected that Brennan, Egan and several of Parnell's followers in the commons, will accompany the latter to America. The intention is to give a full account to the Irish in America of the way in which the fund of the land leaguers is disposed of.

"Number One."

DUBLIN, March 2.--The London correspondent of *Freeman's Journal* asserts that a warrant has been actually issued for the arrest of the man known as "Number One," copies of which have been sent to Liverpool and Birmingham. There is reason to believe he will shortly be arrested.

The Man Wanted.

DUBLIN, Mar. 2.--Walsh, arrested in Havre, is the person mentioned by James Carey, at the hearing of the conspirators.

SPAIN.

Ten will be Hanged.

MADRID, March 2.--The names of the entire committee of the "Black Hand" society, its documents and statutes, including a list of 7000 members, are in the hands of a government special tribunal. The prisoners are all convicted, and probably ten of the most culpable will be hanged. The remainder, probably 300, will be sentenced for life to penal servitude.

Not Necessary.

MADRID, March 2.--The chamber of deputies rejected, 126 to 15, a motion asking that parliamentary inquiry be made with regard to the arrests made in Andalusia. Maret, in the name of followers of Serrano, declared in support of the motion, because he believed the existing troubles in Andalusia were due to successive bad government.

The minister of the interior said the socialistic anarchical tendencies in Andalusia were of ancient date and parliamentary inquiry was unnecessary.

More Outrages.

MADRID, March 2.--Additional agrarian outrages are reported in Andalusia. Eleven anarchists are in jail. Esbera has declared that they and 223 others were pledged to murder the landlords and commit robbery and arson at the bidding of the leaders.

FRANCE.

Byrne will Try to Prove an Alibi.

PARIS, March 2.--Friends of Frank Byrne have telegraphed to the assistant secretary of the Irish national labor league, requesting him to examine the books and make a note of entries made by Byrne May 6th, the day of which Cavendish and Burke were murdered. The object is to prove an alibi for Byrne.

An Arrest at Havre.

PARIS, March 2.--An Irishman who gave his name as Ryland, but whose name is John Walsh, was arrested at Havre yesterday. A newspaper says he has avowed his complicity in the Phoenix park murders.

Will Wait.

PARIS, March 2.--The government will await the arrival of documents from England before deciding whether to allow the extradition of Byrne.

Will be Released Instantly.

PARIS, Mar. 2.--The *Temps* says Byrne will be released instantly, if it be proven he was in London May 6th last.

GERMANY.

The Empress Gives.

BERLIN, March 2.--The empress of Germany gives 1000 marks to the fund for the relief of sufferers by floods in America.

MALTA.

The Crew Safe.

MALTA, March 2.--The missing thirteen of the crew of the steamer Wm. Dickinson, before reported abandoned, have arrived here.

ACCIDENTS.

Two Men Killed.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., March 2.--Two freight trains on the Virginia Midland road collided near Bethel, last night, killing Albert Povey, the engineer, and Thos. Cleary, the fireman, and seriously injuring five others. A misunderstanding of orders caused the accident.

Fatally Injured.

BATH, N. Y., March 2.--R. H. Willard, superintendent of construction of the New York & Pennsylvania Telegraph and Telephone Co., and Frank Smith, general superintendent, both of Elmira, were probably fatally injured by a train leaving the depot. The driver of an omnibus was fatally injured.

Killed at a Fire.

[illegible], Ont., March 2.--Eight buildings, including the postoffice telegraph office, were burned to-day. T. [illegible] lost his life.

SPORTING.

The Jockey Club Gets the Stake.

[illegible], March 2.--A private dispatch from New York says the champion stallion stake, originated by Pierre Lorillard for the world's fair, a [illegible] to be bid for by associations east of the Mississippi river, and which has been [illegible] as the greatest turf event of the present [illegible], was awarded the [illegible] Jockey club. [illegible] $1,757. The stake will be run at the fall meeting of the club in September, and promises to be a great national event.

[illegible]

NOTABLE DEAD.

Niece of the Painter Flames.

[illegible] Miss Margaret [illegible] of the Irish [illegible] died yesterday morning at [illegible] street.

Expensive Pickets.

[illegible]

A Public Benefactor. [illegible] Dr. Wood's [illegible] Headache [illegible]

"Buchu-Paiba." [illegible] Kidney and Urinary [illegible]

WASHINGTON.

The Conference Committee Agree, Making but Few Changes in the Senate Bill.

Senator Edmunds Nominated by the Republican Caucus as David Davis' Successor.

Millionaire Tabor, of Colorado, Married at the Willard House.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

WASHINGTON, March 2.

The conference committee on the tax and tariff bill reached a complete agreement about 12:30 this afternoon, and forthwith sent their report to the government printing office, in order to be able to present it to both houses in printed form before adjournment. The report will recommend the adoption of the senate bill with a very few changes of general importance, except in the metal schedule, in which the committee recommends some increase of rates, especially in regard to steel.

The changed rates agreed upon under this heading are as follows: On steel valued above four cents and not above seven cents per pound, a specific duty of two cents per pound; on steel valued at not less than seven cents and not more than 11 cents per pound, specific duty of 2¾ cents per pound; and on steel valued above 11 cents per pound, specific duty of 3¼ cents per pound. On steel rails the conference committee recommended $17 per ton; on iron ore 75 cents per ton, instead of 50 cents; and on pig iron, 3 1-10 cents per pound. The rate proposed by the tariff commission committee makes no change from the rates proposed by the senate bill for any of the important articles which have been subject to controversy. In the metal schedule the conference committee recommended only one change. In the sugar schedule only one, namely, an increase to 2¾ cents per pound on sugars graded above No. 13 and not above 16, Dutch standard. The senate fixed it at 2½ cents per pound. Some minor changes of classification are made in the cotton schedule, but none of the rates are changed. The only change in the woolen schedule is to impose a duty of 45 cents per pound and 40 per cent. ad valorem upon women's cloaks. In the glass and earthenware schedule the committee propose a specific duty of 1 cent per pound on glass bottles and transfer the printed and painted crockery clause, thereby increasing the duty from 50 per cent. ad valorem to 60 per cent.

Quite Correct.

WASHINGTON, March 2.--The *Star* says: Does the *Congressional Record* record? If not what is the use of printing it under pretense that it is the official transcript of the proceedings of congress? There is not a word in to-day's issue of that publication to show that there occurred in the house of representatives last night a scene which no one can fail to pronounce disgraceful in the extreme. Such was the unpleasant truth, yet to read the official proceedings as printed in the *Record* one would suppose all the members behaved with the utmost dignity and decorum. Its reports of the senate proceedings are no better. A few days ago members of that body exchanged opinions the reverse of complimentary, but their remarks, although uttered in a loud and threatening tone, failed to apparently reach the ears of the official reporters, as their report gave not the slightest sign of what occurred. If it were not for the daily papers the country would get but an imperfect and indeed a false idea of what actually occurs in congress.

Senator Tabor Married.

WASHINGTON, March 2.--Senator Tabor, of Colorado, was married to-night to Mrs. Elizabeth McCourt, of Oshkosh, Wis., by Father Chapelli, pastor of St. Matthew's. The president, Senator-elect Bowen, Secretary and Mrs. Teller, Senator and Mrs. Hill, Representative and Mrs. Belford, Senator Sawyer, ex-Senator Chaffee, Gen. Chas. Adams, ex-minister to Bolivia, Hon. Otto and Mr. and Mrs. N. Bush, were among the guests. Mr. and Mrs. Tabor will remain in Washington until the close of the session. They will then go to New York for a brief visit and thence to Colorado. The marriage took place in a private parlor of Willard's hotel, which was magnificently decorated. An elegant supper was spread in an adjoining room. The presents were numerous and of great value. One of the senator's presents to his bride was a diamond necklace valued at $75,000.

Snuff, Tobacco and Cigars.

WASHINGTON, March 2.--The conference committee recommended that the provision of the bill reducing internal revenue taxes on snuff, tobacco and cigars, shall go into effect May 1st, instead of July 1st, as provided in the senate bill.

The prevalent sentiment in the house this afternoon, as gathered from conversation with the members, with regard to the tariff conference, is that the bill which the committee recommend will pass. Ohio men, and all interested in wool raising are dissatisfied, because the rates are not raised on raw wool. The representatives of sugar producing and sugar refining interests are generally satisfied with the result of the conference. The Pennsylvania men are fairly content, and prominent democrats say it will pass. Of course though, they will generally oppose it.

Confirmations.

WASHINGTON, March 2.--Marcelin E. Redet, Louisiana, United States consul at Tuxpan. Registers of lands: Benj. M. Thomas, Tucson, A. T.; Jos. Jorgensen, Walla Walla, W. T. U. S. attorneys: W. H. DeWitt, Montana; Fenimore Cofan, Nevada. Indian agents: Geo. S. Davenport, Sacramento and Fox agency, Iowa; Pedro Sanchez, Pueblo, N. M. Postmasters: H. H. Street, Sonora, Cal.; J. H. Jones, Colusa, California; Robert Morris, Denver; A. H. Crossman, Salem, Oregon.

Pacific Coast Appropriations.

Appropriations for the Pacific coast, in the river and harbor bill, as passed by the house, are: Oakland harbor, $80,000; Wilmington, $50,000; Coos bay, $20,000; Yaquina, $30,000; Sacramento river, $20,000; San Joaquin, $30,000; locks at the Cascades, $125,000; lower Willamette and Columbia, $40,000; Coquille, $5000; mouth of the Columbia, $75,000.

The Great Unknown.

WASHINGTON, March 2.--Fair, of Nevada, the great absentee, appeared in the senate to-day. He had some papers to present. He said, "Mr. President." Senator Davis replied: "The senator from--" and then stopped. He couldn't quite place him.

"From Nevada," chipped in Fair himself.

Edmunds Nominated.

Republican members of the senate held a caucus this morning and selected Edmunds as the candidate for president pro tem, to succeed Davis. No opposition.

Ended at Last.

WASHINGTON, March 2.--The nomination of Robert Morris to-day, as postmaster for Denver, Col., ends a long and strenuous contest between the Hall and Teller factions.

PRESS PITH.

"Does your Helen remind you of Helen of Troy?" she asked sweetly, as the sofa springs flattened under a pressure of 160 pounds. "No, not precisely; you remind me more of Helen of Avoirdupois," was the sealy reply.--*Louisville Sunday Argus.*

A Pennsylvania paper tells of a family which has been poisoned by eating pie containing arsenic. It seems like a work of supererogation to put arsenic into pie. A pie that cannot kill a family without the help of arsenic is very weak pie indeed.--*Boston Transcript.*

At a recent church entertainment in Haverhill, Mass., fifty young ladies sang "What Shall the Harvest Be?" If Haverhill girls are up to the average, the harvest will be about forty-five young men, five old maids, eight divorce suits and an occasional scandal.--*Chicago Tribune.*

The editor of the *Crosby County Courier and Farmers' Vindicator* thought he would double his circulation by promising to publish biographical sketches of his patrons. Some of the patrons liked the idea very much, and took several hundred copies to send to their friends; but the majority of the patrons, who had been indicted in other places before they came to Texas, paid as high as $50 to have their biographical sketches suppressed. The plan worked like a charm, and the editor, from comparative poverty, has soared up to positive affluence.--*Texas Siftings.*

TELEGRAPHIC SPARKS.

The prince of Wales yesterday visited Bismarck in Berlin.

The sentence of Boulonx and Tedet, of the Union Generale, is confirmed.

The citizens of Cairo raised $1000 for sufferers by the flood at Shawneetown.

The Mississippi at Cairo continues to decline rapidly, and the danger is thought to be past.

Hungary has undertaken to remove the rocks at the Iron Gate of the Danube and expects to be reimbursed by tolls.

J. C. Connor, Manager Royal Opera House, Toronto, says: "I was cured by the use of St. Jacobs Oil of acute rheumatism."

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SATURDAY MORNING, MARCH 3, 1883.

THE JURY SYSTEM.

Notwithstanding the value set upon the jury system by English-speaking peoples and the important part it has played in guarding their personal rights and liberties it presents imperfections which have long been apparent. These have been partly due to the methods of the law, which in many cases do not permit juries to go straight at the facts, but hamper them with subtleties and technicalities. But aside from these things, there are real abuses to which the system is liable. That it might be much improved admits of little doubt. Perhaps it is not too much to say that there are some things in its application that ought to be changed. The legislature of New Jersey has just passed an act to make the vote of nine jurors sufficient in civil cases. No one who has had much experience in the jury room will fail to recall instances in which one or two persons, either through ignorance, bias, or some worse cause, have been able either to prevent an agreement or to force concessions which would not have been made under a majority rule. Men carry their prejudices into the jury box, and often manifest them there more conspicuously there than anywhere else. "Favor" and "affection" are supposed to be entirely dismissed from the mind of the juror, but when he comes to find a verdict it too often happens that his conduct can only be accounted for on the supposition that he has been unduly influenced in some way or other.

There is certainly much to be said in favor of a law that would enable three-fourths of the jurors to find a verdict. There are frequently found on juries conscientious men who cannot agree to the conclusion reached by the majority, and yet they are either compelled to yield against their convictions or forced to hold out in opposition to the larger number. The law proposed in New Jersey would relieve persons of this class from the necessity of making their "stubbornness" so conspicuous, while it would do away with the opportunities for mischief which are too readily seized upon by those who are willing to serve friends or take bribes, and who have no regard for justice. The jury system has guarded society from many dangers; but the further society has removed from those dangers the more conspicuous do the abuses connected with the system become. There is little to be feared nowadays from the tyranny or usurpation of the judiciary, but much from the subtle forms of corruption, which, as they permeate all society, must at times affect the decisions of juries and do great wrongs in the administration of justice. And yet the jury system is an institution in which no citizen of a free country can afford to lose his faith. It must be supported rather than pulled down. The simple act passed by the legislature of our state at its last session, under which no person who has acted as a juror within the preceding year is permitted to serve during the current year, has done more to secure good and honest juries—by excluding the class known as professionals—than any measure hitherto employed. From [illegible] experience with it already Oregon can commend it to every state.

THE DAIRYING BUSINESS.

Diversification of industry in this country is coming more and more to be a necessity. Too long the prosperity of Oregon and Washington has depended upon the demand and supply of a single product. In bringing about this diversity, no factor will be more potent than the steady [illegible] of dairying, under the stimulus of accumulating proof that the soil, climate and [illegible] afford as great facilities and inducements for it as for agriculture, strictly speaking. The truth is that the northwest is on the [illegible] of that secondary stage of material [illegible] which awaits every community after it shall have wearied of the first and most [illegible] occupation in which its industry may be employed, and shall have found that there [illegible] equally profitable, without subjecting [illegible] who engages in them to the uncertainty and possibility of loss that are always present when the results of a year of labor are at the mercy of the success or failure of a single crop. Oregon and Washington are coming to be widely known for their production of wheat, and the northwest probably will never cease to be a great garden for cereals; but in addition [illegible], it is more than ever important to [illegible] a certain portion of the rapidly multiplying capital and labor to other forms of employment; to secure the profits which home [illegible] offer to those who will satisfy them; to [illegible] possible losses in one direction with certain gains in others; and to lend to industry that diversity which brings both wealth and independence.

Almost every part of the northwest is particularly adapted to dairying. The natural [illegible] are large, the grasses are rich and abundant, the climate well adapted to the raising of healthy stock and the operations of the dairy, transportation facilities are improving rapidly and the demand for dairy products at good prices, one that can as certainly be relied upon as that for bread.

It has been pointed out that no other employment can be so advantageously combined with the cultivation of the soil as dairying. To the limited extent of satisfying household consumption every farm is made a dairy farm, and there are few which do not furnish to the market a limited amount of dairy produce, to aid in supplying the farmer with those necessaries which his soil will not produce. But the greatest advantages attend a judicious extension of this practice, until what is known as mixed farming is the result. The demand for one sort of produce is as permanent as for the other. The field of supply must always be largely local, the nature of the product making its transportation to any distance without deterioration of quality a matter of difficulty. The work of the dairy interferes but little with that of the farm; while its returns may diminish, but never cease with all the changes of the seasons. Stock raising becomes an incidental part of the business, and contributes materially to swell its profits. And finally, the return is bounteous, comprising the value of the dairy products proper, the constant increase of stock and the addition to the soil of a fertilizer of nature's own manufacture.

The business of dairying is constantly growing in the northwest, but it has not yet caught up with the demand for dairy products. The unhappy resident of the city is still compelled to content himself with watered milk and to swallow through several months of the year with what grace he can, alleged butter, which may not be butter at all. A change in the industry of this section will be hailed with more satisfaction for its effect upon production, competition, profits, and the stable prosperity of agricultural interests in general, than that particular diversity which will come from extension of the dairying business.

The true newspaper is conducted on the principle of accuracy, candor and fairness. It gives all the news, and presents it in such shape that the reader is assured of the fact when he reads them. It eschews all sensational efforts to gain notoriety; does not allow itself to be used to promote the selfish and sinister aims of politicians, or of any particular set of men, great or small; and in a word so conducts itself as to impress the public with a conviction that its statements are to be trusted.

Washington territory will not come in as a state till after the next presidential election. Nor will Dakota. The managers of the democratic party are not going to permit the creation of any more republican electoral votes.

If the bill to remodel and reduce the tariff should not pass the present session of congress will be regarded by the country as a failure.

THE NECESSARY CONSEQUENCE.

The corrupting influence of our high protective tariff upon the national legislature is the subject of some very just remarks by the New York *Times*, a republican journal of highest standing, which, among other newspapers of its class, protests against the claim that the republican party is irrevocably pledged to the most zealously maintain the doctrines of extreme protection. "Influencing legislation for private ends and contrary to the public interest," the *Times* pointedly says, "is to all intents and purposes corrupting." On this proposition there is hardly a chance for difference of opinion. But it is denied that such is the effect of a high protective tariff. The [illegible]. It is easy to show, however, that the statement as to the effect of such tariff is not overdrawn.

No one denies that the tariff which has been maintained for more than twenty years past has been a source of great profit to individuals and to private corporations. It has protected [illegible] men of great wealth, and enabled them to [illegible] in increasing their wealth, from competition. These men are not a very large class. On the contrary, in many industries they are a very compact class, banded together for mutual advantage, and enjoying a practical monopoly of the profits derived from the operation of the tariff. The Bessemer steel makers, for example, are embraced in less than a dozen corporations, and to their shareholders the high duty on Bessemer steel is a direct, tangible and calculable source of revenue. The copper mine owners are another class, also very limited in number, who are similarly situated. The makers of wood screws and of cut tacks are still others. These are examples of persons who have the strongest direct interest in the high duties which have been maintained during so many years. As the *Times* justly remarks, it is absurd to say or suppose that active business men so situated will not attempt to influence the action of congress, or that their influence will not be exerted for private ends.

When the source of legislation is under such influences it is quite idle to suppose that the fruit of it will be laws enacted in sincerity for the public good. Such a result cannot, in reason, be expected. A policy under which special interests may be affected by legislation to the extent of millions upon millions each year can hardly be anything else than a constant menace to the integrity of the legislature.

A collection of manuscripts, formerly in possession of Benjamin Franklin, was bought recently by the government for $35,000. In the collection there is one document of deepest interest to Americans. It is one of two original copies of the petition for a redress of grievances sent by the continental congress in 1774 to King George III. The petition was made out in duplicate, each copy bearing the autograph signatures of all the delegates to the continental congress. They were sent to England by different ships to guard against loss. One copy was given to the king, and is in the public record office; the other remained in the possession of Benjamin Franklin, and has now come back to America to take its place beside the faded original of the declaration of independence in the state department.

If honorable men only were allowed to practice law notorious scoundrels would find no attorneys to take their cases on contingent fees to vex, and if possible to despoil, reputable people. But there is a class of vultures, calling themselves lawyers, who regard every person who has acquired by business and industry any property whatever, as a lawful prey; and they lie in wait to annoy and despoil every such person, whenever they imagine any kind of chance offers for it.

It is justly to be feared that the nerve and vigor of Arizona English are not what they were. The Tombstone *Republican*, in correcting a misstatement of its journalistic neighbor, the *Epitaph*, does not call the latter a red-headed liar, nor a scoundrel whose loathsome presence pollutes the very atmosphere, but simply says, "The *Epitaph* was mistaken." Such language is inexplicable. Something must be done for Tombstone.

Education has two great objects. The first is to train the mind; the second is to stock it. A great mistake is often committed by reversing this order and trying to stock the mind before training it, or instead of training it.

Scottish Investments in America.

New York Times.

Investments in the United States are so popular in Scotland that companies which act as intermediaries for loaning are notably thriving in Dundee. The first Scottish-American trust company paid in 1881, 8 per cent. dividends and increased its reserve funds from $130,000 to $200,000; its capital is $1,500,000, and its $500 shares stand at 51 premium. The second company, with $2,000,000 capital, has over 55 premium for its $500 shares; it earned in 1882 over 8 per cent., paid 8½, and increased its reserves from $200,000 to $235,000. A third company paid 7½ per cent., made about the same addition to reserves, and has about the same rating for its stock as the last named. Another paid 10 per cent., and the Oregon and Washington bank claims to show a net gain of 20 per cent. The Dundee Land Investment company and the Texas Land and Cattle company, with capitals of $2,500,000 and $3,150,000, have started and got into working order in Dundee within the past year. The policy of these companies in accumulating large reserves steadily has enabled them, it is said, to borrow on debenture bonds at 4½ to 4¾, compared with 5 or 6 per cent. a year ago. The suggestion, of course, is that the funds so borrowed are reloaned in this country at larger rates, but the process seems singular, for to invest funds in low rate bonds which are hypothecated at higher rates in order to obtain funds for reloaning at still higher would be peculiar financiering. The debenture bonds would be a needless intermediary in such a case, for it would be shorter and more profitable to put the surplus into the highest loans at once; and the surplus or reserves are not rendered any safer by this method, since the debenture investments, having been hypothecated, stand only upon the success of the ultimate high rate loans. This sketch is upon the authority of the consul at Dundee, and if not overdrawn it certainly suggests that "cautionary signals" would not be amiss for the residents of that region, lest they overdo the business and get too much of American investments.

What Farmers Say about Wheat.

Albany, Linn Co., Democrat.

D. D. Hackleman, of Albany, shows us a fair sample which seems to be alive and growing. He thinks his crop is all right.

Jesse Matthes, of Tangent, laid a fair sample on our table which is as dead as a "door nail." He thinks his is nearly all killed. Will resow.

David Bilyeu, of Santiam, says wheat is all killed. Farmers blue.

Dr. G. F. Crawford, of Center, says wheat is badly injured.

Wm. McKinnon, of Sweet Home, wheat all killed.

G. Parrish, of Brownsville, wheat nearly all killed.

G. G. Burkhart, of Albany, wheat ruined. Loss to Linn county $1,000,000.

John Morgan, of Shedd's, will have to resow about one-third of his fall sowing.

John Nichols, of Center, wheat killed.

C. T. Ingram, of Center, all gone.

I. D. Miller, of Miller's, almost total loss.

D. P. Adams, of Miller's, will have to resow all but a few acres.

James Anderson, of Albany, wheat nearly all killed.

Mr. Donnes, entire loss.

John I. Davis, of Tangent, early and late sowing will make a good crop. [illegible] all killed.

F. M. Blackhart, of [illegible], all killed.

[illegible]

"Gath's" Compliments to Tennessee.

[illegible]

The Younger Dana.

[illegible] He graduated at Harvard."

Gath's Choice.

Some one in an interview with "Gath" about the best republican candidate for president, is quoted as saying, of Gath personally, that John Sherman is and was the best. [illegible] his views on trade, tariff, etc., are [illegible] the party's necessities."

GRANT DISAPPOINTED.

An Intimate Friend of the General says the Mexican Treaty will never be Ratified.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.

Washington, March 2.—A strong personal friend of General Grant, speaking of the postponement of consideration of the Mexican commercial treaty, said that Grant is greatly disappointed at the failure of the senate to ratify the treaty this session. Grant, he said, confidently expected the treaty would be ratified, and he and his friends made plans accordingly. If the treaty had been ratified millions of dollars of American capital would be invested in Mexico before next January. [illegible]

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THE CORWIN.

The U. S. revenue cutter Corwin, Capt. Healy commander, arrived in yesterday from San Francisco and Empire City, at which last place was begun an investigation into the loss of the collier Tacoma, on the 29th of last January. The investigation will be concluded here. John Ferguson, of this place, who distinguished himself in saving life at the scene of the wreck, and Wm. Kyle, who was also there, will appear before Major Blakeney, inspector of the life saving service of this coast, and give their testimony, upon the conclusion of which the vessel will return to San Francisco.

The Corwin is a trim little craft, and is the best built of her class on the coast. She is always given a hearty greeting in Astoria, as we look upon her as belonging here. The Richard Rush, at San Francisco, the Oliver Wolcott, on the sound, and the Corwin at Astoria, is the supposititional distribution, but the fact that the last named is the staunchest and most suitable vessel that the government can send on Arctic voyages has always caused her to be detained for such service. She will return to San Francisco on Sunday.—*Astorian, March 2.*

MEETING NOTICES.

Printers Union. Regular meeting of Multnomah Typographical Union, Sunday, March 4, at 2 P. M., at hall over Prentiss's music store. A full attendance is desired, as important business will be transacted. [illegible] Committee will meet at same place at 1:30 o'clock.

FRANK [illegible], President.

J. M. VAUGHN, Secretary.

Imp. O. R. M. Members of Willamette Tribe, No. 6, are requested to meet at their wigwam on Monday evening, the 5th inst., at 7:30 P. M., as important business must be transacted. By order

J. V. [illegible], C. of R.

J. CRUBENDICK, Sa.

Multnomah Engine Co. Benevolent Association. Meeting of the trustees at the house of Engine Co. No. 2 this (Saturday) evening, at 7 o'clock sharp. By order of the President. S. A. NEFFACH, Sec.

Columbia Rebekah Degree Lodge, No. 3. Special meeting this evening at 7 o'clock. By order N. G.

A. O. H. All members of the A. O. H. are requested to meet at Cabinet's Hall on Sunday, March 4, at 2 o'clock P. M. M. J. GLEASON, County Delegate.

Progress Lodge No. 72, I. O. O. F. The officers and members of Progress Lodge No. 72, I. O. O. F. are requested to meet at Odd Fellows Temple this (Saturday) evening at 6:30 o'clock, for the purpose of paying a fraternal visit to Orient Lodge No. 17, I. O. O. F. A full attendance requested. L. A. CLARK, Rec. Sec.

Willamette Council, I. O. C. F. A special meeting will be held Saturday evening, March 3, at Temperance Hall, over Prentiss's music store, First street. Business of importance will come up and a full attendance is required. By order of the Council, F. C. MIDDLETON, Sec.

Birth, Marriage and death notices, 50 cents each insertion. Obituary notices and resolutions of condolence ten cents per line.

Transient advertising payable in advance.

MARRIED.

In Lafayette, Feb. 28, W. [illegible] Hodges and Tilde Laudingham.

In Washington county, Feb. 22, S. T. [illegible] and Jennie Alpan.

In Washington county, Feb. [illegible], J. C. Callahan and Miss Maggie Seth.

In Benton county, Feb. 22, W. M. Bosley and Miss Mary A. Smith.

At Lebanon, Feb. 27, James McDonald and Miss Ellen Simons.

In Walla Walla, Feb. 27, Thaddeus P. Wagner and Miss Fannie C. Burr.

At Pomeroy, Feb. 25, Francis [illegible] and Mrs. Olive Benedict.

DIED.

At his residence, near Portland, March 2, George J. Watts, aged 81 years and 6 months. Warren, Maine, and San Francisco papers please copy.

Funeral service from the Unitarian church Sunday, March 4, at 2 o'clock P. M. Services at the grave private.

Feb. 28, near Stafford, Clackamas county, C. J. Melcher, a native of Germany, aged 55 years.

Near Greenville, Feb. 25, Mrs. Dollie E. Shepherd, aged 25 years.

In Corvallis, Feb. 27, Mrs. Frances A. E. Cauthorne, aged [illegible] years.

At Harrisburg, Feb. 27, William Douglas, aged 16 yrs.

In Albany, Feb. 21, Mrs. Samuel Harrison.

NEW TO-DAY.

THE SUNDAY MERCURY

TO-MORROW WILL CONTAIN "TURKS LAMENT," "Romance of the Dredger," [illegible] Pease's "Nautical Song," all by our gifted poet "Curry to Laura." Also, Eli Perkins, Jr., [illegible] with [illegible] and tackle the sacred concerts.

CHAS. HEGELE & CO.

(Successors to W. JACKSON & CO.)

Corner Front and Pine Sts.

WE HAVE THIS DAY PURCHASED THE ENTIRE stock of Messrs. W. Jackson & Co., and are [illegible] which enables us to offer special inducements to the Trade and the Public in general in

FINE PLATED WARE,

GENUINE FRENCH CHINA,

FINE GLASSWARE, TABLECUTLERY.

Full assortment of Crockery, Lamps, Chandeliers, Clocks, etc., in order to make room for the [illegible] on the way. CHAS. HEGELE & CO.

GO TO C. E. McBREEN'S CROCKERY STORE for the best bargains in Portland. 56 Morrison st.

WANTED—A GIRL OR WOMAN FOR HOUSEwork and cooking; must be [illegible]. Apply at 3[illegible], corner Mill and Ninth Sts. References required.

STORAGE AND WHARFAGE ROOM FOR rent. Apply at foot of Taylor street. [illegible]

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S. C. WHITNEY, FRISCO ARTIST.

ALL DESIRING WORK IN THIS LINE PLEASE [illegible] 328 Eleventh St., corner Market.

REDUCED FARE.

FROM AND AFTER [illegible] Steamship Tickets [illegible]

WHITE & RIGGEN,

General Agents

Cunard, National, Anchor, Allan, State and [illegible] Steamship Lines.

20 Stark St., Portland, Or.

600 ACRES

Choice timbered land for sale at a low figure [illegible], by C. P. FERRY, 22 Stark St.

Baldwin Restaurant, Alder, bet. 1st & Front.

ELECTRIC BATHS, 113 MORRISON ST.

TEMPORARY REMOVAL.

[illegible] E. K. SMITH.

REDUCED RATES.

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FOR SALE.

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ACTUAL BARGAINS.

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50x100

50x100

100 [illegible]

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METROPOLITAN [illegible] OFFICE,

Room 4, Union Block, Stark St.

NEW TO-DAY.

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO SECOND WORK. No. 224 Eighth street, Cor. Salmon.

WANTED—BOOK CANVASSER. APPLY 56 FIRST [illegible]

WANTED—A MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN [illegible]

WANTED—TO RENT A SMALL NEAT COTTAGE [illegible] MOFFETT & WALLENBURG [illegible]

WANTED—FOUR STONE MASONS. WAGES [illegible]

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY—A CAPABLE [illegible]

WANTED—A [illegible]

FOR RENT.

[illegible]

FOR SALE.

[illegible]

LOST.

[illegible]

TO BE RAFFLED THIS EVENING.

[illegible]

NO PLACE LIKE HOME.

[illegible]

A. E. Williams & Co., General Machinists, 82 Front street.

LOTS AND BLOCKS

IN ALL PARTS OF EAST [illegible]

BRADFORD'S

EVAPORATED FRUITS.

Peach, Jefferson and Washington Plums and French Prunes, in 25 and 50 lb. boxes.

The Choicest Fruit in the State.

AT WADHAMS & ELLIOTT'S.

SPECIAL AUCTION SALE

OF

TOBACCO, CIGARS, ETC.

We will sell at our salesroom, No. [illegible] First street,

MONDAY, MARCH 4, 1883,

At 10 o'clock A. M.

Balance of Stock of Tobacco and Notion Store,

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Sole Agents DRUCK TOOLS.

Warranted Thirty Days.

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One Night Only Tuesday Evening, March 6

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Produced by the

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Each lady will receive a handsome engraved

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Popular Prices $1, 50c. Reserved seats now on sale at Cornelius's drug store [illegible]

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THIS SUNDAY EVENING, MARCH 4,

GRAND SACRED CONCERT

MISS BESSIE LOUISE KING,

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CHARLES G. AMSDEN ... Lyric Tenor

An Augmented Orchestra, comprising all the leading professional talent of the city.

J. M. NAVONI, Conductor.

POPULAR PRICES: Dress Circle and Parquette 50c; Gallery 25c. No reserved seats. [illegible] Admission tickets can be had at Cornelius Drug Store, corner First and Stark, any time Sunday, and at the Theater ticket office in the evening.

MILLINERY AND FANCY DRY GOODS

THE

Clearance Sale

AT THE

[illegible]

Will continue until their Entire Stock of

Dry Goods,

Millinery,

Cloaks, etc.,

Are disposed of.

Goods in every department marked down to

ACTUAL COST.

LEWIS & STRAUSS,

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MRS. G. H. CLARKE,

[illegible]

Fine Millinery,

Cor. [illegible] and Columbia Sts.

FINE STEEL ENGRAVINGS

Just Received at

SHANAHAN'S ART GALLERY,

Morrison St., bet. Second and Third.

C. PATER [illegible] WATCHES

[illegible]

ENGWER'S PURE BORAX SOAP

Wholesale Depot 173 Front St.

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Remnant

Carnival.

The close of our fifth annual sale leaves a very large, fresh and attractive line of REMNANTS in nearly every department.

These REMNANTS, in addition to many ODD LOTS, consisting of

Shawls,

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Hosiery,

Etc.,

MUST BE SOLD.

The price placed on these goods will insure a thorough clearance. This sale will commence on

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And continue through the week only.

This offering of

Remnants

AND

Odd Lots

is larger and more desirable than any of our former ones. We think you will find something to please.

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186 FIRST ST.,

Between Yamhill and Taylor.

1883.

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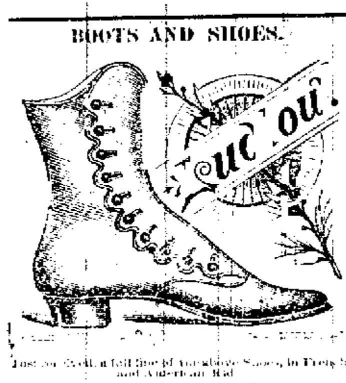

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NEW STYLES IN HATS

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DUNCAN'S PALMERS

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Between Morrison and Yamhill.

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WANTED—SUITE OF ROOMS [illegible]

WANTED—INFORMATION OF [illegible]

TO HORSE BREEDERS.

[illegible]

WANTED—EMPLOYMENT.

WANTED—SITUATION [illegible]

W[illegible]

HELP WANTED.

W[illegible]

WANTED IMMEDIATELY [illegible] Machinists [illegible]

AGENTS WANTED.

3 NEW SUBSCRIPTION BOOKS. [illegible]

WANTED IMMEDIATELY ACTIVE WIDE awake [illegible] A. L. BANCROFT & CO. [illegible]

TO LET—ROOMS.

A DESIRABLE ROOM, WITH BOARD, SUITable for gentleman and wife, or two single gentlemen, to be had by applying at once at 181 Yamhill street.

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FOR RENT IN THE LARGE AND ELEGANT residence formerly occupied by C. J. Martin, 69 North Fourth st. Single rooms or en suite, with board if desired.

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FOR RENT.

THE NEW 3-STORY BRICK BUILDING EAST side Second street, between Oak and Pine. Apply to TRENKMAN & WOLFF, Third and F.

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IN THE BUSINESS PORTION OF THE CITY, the 2d and 3d stories of a large building, 50x90 feet, second story divided off into rooms; upper story one large room. Also, adjoining said building, 27x[illegible] feet of [illegible] and capped ready for building on. Long lease to responsible parties. Location admirably adapted for a restaurant and lodging house. Address BARTH & MEYER, Astoria, Oregon.

BUSINESS SPECIALS.

REMOVAL.

Frank Jones have removed to Nos. [illegible] and 70 Front street, between Pine and Oak. Dolph & Thompson block.

BURKHARDT & SPAULDING, Butchers and Packers, cor. Third and Ash sts., offer a full line of best quality of Meats, Hams and Bacon.

MRS. FOREMAN, IN SELLING HER INTERest in the Frazier Chart System for cutting, reserves the right to cut for ladies and girls, and will be prepared on and after the 15th of February to take in limited number of [illegible] at her residence, No. [illegible] N. W. Corner Sixth and Harrison streets.

COMPOUND OXYGEN. The most powerful Tonic, Alterative and Vitalizer known, is an embodiment of life itself, cures Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Paralysis, and all affections of the nervous system; also completely restores lost vitality. Best of references furnished on application. It is manufactured and scientifically administered at his office. Call and test it for yourself. One treatment given free. DR. JAMES KECK, No. 65 First street, corner Alder, Portland, Or.

LOST.

$10 REWARD.

LOST—AN IRISH SETTER DOG, WITH WHITE spot on breast; had on an iron chain collar. Return to A. B. [illegible] this office.

LOST.

A COACH DOG. ANSWERS TO NAME OF [illegible], white, with black spots; one large spot in center of forehead. A liberal reward will be paid for his delivery at A. Roberts, First and Alder.

Albert Bartsch,

STEINWAY, 83 YAMHILL ST.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I HEREBY ANNOUNCE MYSELF AS A CANdidate for the clerkship of School District No. 1, Multnomah county. WM. CHURCH, Jr.

ATTENTION, TAXPAYERS.

COUNTY TAXES ARE NOW DUE AND PAYable at my office in the court house, and as the law requires me to return the delinquent list on April 1st taxpayers will save trouble by getting their receipts as soon as possible and not be returned as delinquent and tax [illegible] costs.

GEORGE C. SEARS,

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CITY.

[illegible]—The committee appointed [illegible] Board of Trade, Messrs. McCraken, Burns [illegible] met at 10 o'clock this morning to determine what steps should be taken towards providing [illegible] from California for the farmers of [illegible] valley. It was deemed advisable as [illegible] be sure of the proposition that California could be relied upon to mature as [illegible] and as a fair test, it was decided [illegible] should telegraph to some San Francisco [illegible] on that subject. Mr. Burns telegraphed [illegible] house, Messrs. Balfour, Guthrie [illegible] responded that seed could be sent [illegible] answer, Mr. Church telegraphed Geo. [illegible] whom to the question, "Can California [illegible] be relied upon for spring sowing?" [illegible] Mr. McCraken telegraphed to Mr. [illegible] Mr. McCraken in business there for twenty [illegible] up to the time of writing of this no response [illegible] received. Feeling sure of their [illegible] will take steps through their [illegible] to obtain as much seed as is [illegible] Sibson, Church & Co. have, or [illegible] in accordance with their propositions [illegible] of wheat, of which about 100 tons [illegible] to-morrow from San Francisco.

[illegible]—For some time it has been rumored [illegible] was on foot which would result [illegible] south end of the city, but just [illegible] was nobody seemed to know. [illegible] Marquam bonded to S. G. Reed, [illegible] 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 26, [illegible] of Fulton, or, perhaps, more properly [illegible] townsite of Fulton, which is situated [illegible] Stevens' claim, near the Red House. [illegible] of the agreement are that if the lands are [illegible] on or before the 15th inst., the price shall [illegible] between that time and [illegible] if purchased [illegible] be paid. As Mr. Reed [illegible] stockholder in the Oregon Iron and Steel [illegible] is supposed that the land bonded is [illegible] something connected with the works.

[illegible]—In the package purchased [illegible] "old horse" sale yesterday which contained [illegible] was also found a lot of papers [illegible] photograph album and other articles of [illegible] to the owner. The letters were addressed [illegible] Warden, of Aurelius, New York, [illegible] of Utica, Minnesota. As it is possible [illegible] somewhere in this region, the [illegible] will be carefully preserved for him. [illegible] through the article in yesterday's [illegible] for the skeleton purchased at [illegible] and the original owner of the [illegible] by purchase, and when he [illegible] they were mislaid. The [illegible] warm weather to take the trip [illegible].

[illegible]—Among the many [illegible] at the "old horse" sale of [illegible] a pair of roller skates with a [illegible] self-supporting a sole plate [illegible] about two feet above [illegible] standing on a pair of [illegible] extends above the sole [illegible] straps to buckle around [illegible] called them "high [illegible] instruments calculated [illegible] to induct one in the [illegible] tumbling, and would [illegible] quicker than anything [illegible] should be left severely [illegible] in the desirability of [illegible].

[illegible]—Last evening a gentleman [illegible] at Front lost the charm [illegible] an article he prized [illegible] for it by the light [illegible] gas lamps. [illegible] in the search, and [illegible] a hotel coach whirled [illegible] ran over them both. [illegible] picked up the charm, [illegible] was recognized by [illegible] he had not seen for [illegible] mutual, and after [illegible] friends went off [illegible].

[illegible] at J. Mac[illegible] is preparing to [illegible] street, between [illegible] his house placing [illegible] in some manner [illegible] upon him. His [illegible] to his assistance and [illegible] from his perilous position [illegible] floor of the house. [illegible] nearly every portion [illegible] one arm and [illegible] internal injuries were [illegible] if not fatal. He was [illegible].

[illegible] the state circuit [illegible] by the North[illegible] Solomon Rich[illegible] et al., H. W. [illegible] et al., and P. L. Willis [illegible] through the above [illegible] and Kalama. [illegible] in width in the [illegible] alleges that an [illegible] said owners of [illegible] which should be [illegible] the court is asked to [illegible] a reasonable [illegible].

[illegible] the coun[illegible] wrote to the [illegible] to specify the [illegible] and to [illegible] on the [illegible] from Walla [illegible] special meeting [illegible] request of the [illegible] to the finance [illegible] instructions to [illegible] meeting. Now [illegible] form, the [illegible].

[illegible] Jackson & Co., the [illegible] glassware firm, re[illegible] sold their [illegible] charge. The [illegible] one of Port[illegible] men, who [illegible] & Nagle, and [illegible] the glassware [illegible] connected with [illegible] the elements of [illegible] Mr. Jackson will [illegible] interests of the [illegible].

[illegible] John B. Garrison [illegible] the plat of [illegible] which he has caused [illegible] tract of land is a [illegible] the Stephens land [illegible] Mr. Garrison. This [illegible] subdivision. The [illegible] are subdivided into [illegible] streets in the subdi[illegible] of the streets [illegible] same names [illegible] other streets of [illegible].

[illegible] appears to be a [illegible] from the building at [illegible] and Stark streets. [illegible] Mrs. B. Smith, [illegible] the party wall, a part [illegible] and it seems that [illegible] which specifies [illegible] down." As Mr. [illegible] to rebuild unless he [illegible] cannot [illegible] of the party wall, [illegible] while longer.

[illegible] Dr. Marvin's attack on [illegible] not seem to have made [illegible] we learn that over 500 [illegible] The Wit and Wisdom of [illegible] sold, and that the [illegible] Grand Army of the [illegible] on the success of [illegible] lecture will be delivered [illegible] next at 8 P. M. It [illegible] this is the lecture the [illegible] church several weeks [illegible].

[illegible] Ah Mong, who mar[illegible] of Ah Bing and Ah [illegible] stealing the jewelry the [illegible] from custody yesterday [illegible] Mong, Bing & Co. paying the [illegible] accrued. Mong's counter [illegible] named gentleman for keep[illegible] was also dismissed, the costs [illegible] the complaining witness. Such [illegible] these Chinamen to think [illegible] with the law.

[illegible]—John McGuire, formerly [illegible] R. & N. line, has been promoted [illegible] of the narrow gauge [illegible] at Bay's Landing. He [illegible] who formerly served as master [illegible] Marbe, and John DeCourcy, [illegible] will have charge of grading of the [illegible] Hearn, freight conductor, has [illegible] the passenger train vacated by Mr. [illegible].

[illegible]—In Justice White's court, [illegible] suit against E. McDaniels, to [illegible] to recover $30 for professional [illegible] a third party on an alleged [illegible] the defendant. The testimony [illegible] much credit upon any of [illegible] but Justice White decided [illegible] of evidence in the plain[illegible] a verdict accordingly. An ap[illegible] by the defendant.

[illegible]—A report gained cred[illegible] that an infant child of James [illegible] living at the corner of Front [illegible] streets, had been killed the day [illegible] from the arms of a neighbor [illegible] with it. Inquiry of the parents by [illegible] last night elicited the in[illegible] the child died from convulsions [illegible].

[illegible]—E. Elkeles, who has lived [illegible] Alder, for nearly fifteen years, [illegible] under orders from the owner of [illegible] who proposes to turn it into a Chinese [illegible]. Little by little the Mongolian [illegible] foothold and spread themselves over one [illegible] valuable business portions of the city [illegible] the land of the free and the home of [illegible].

[illegible]—The following letters remain [illegible] Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express office [illegible] yesterday: T. J. Brennan, [illegible] Lydia Guild, Mrs. Anna Mc[illegible], [illegible] E. J. Ege, Judge W. M. Snow[illegible], [illegible] C. P. Woodman, D. K. Warren.

[illegible]—Melting snow has again [illegible] washouts on the Northern Pacific [illegible] Wallula junction and Ritzville, [illegible] interrupted. Repairs will probably [illegible] tomorrow night.

THREE'S COYOTES ROUND.—Farmers of Marion county are inflicted with a plague of coyotes which were driven in from the foothills by the freeze up. They have killed many lambs, and in some places farmers are obliged to corral their flocks at night to keep them from being destroyed. When the farmers have a little leisure they will join and hunt the yelping brutes back to their haunts in the depth of the Cascades.

[illegible] "Mickey Fall" did not leave after [illegible] proposed to go to Astoria and ship in the [illegible] under the chaperonage of Captain Bell. In some mysterious way Mickey gave Bell the slip and instead of landing at Astoria [illegible] yesterday morning, landed in jail [illegible]. He pleaded guilty, and [illegible] forty days and forty nights.

[illegible] Last night Rev. Chas. Noyes delivered at the Unitarian chapel, before a good audience, an excellent lecture on "Industrial Education." It is of such value that it should be printed entire, but our columns this morning are too crowded. It will be published in tomorrow's OREGONIAN.

[illegible]—Frank Wheeler, who was held to answer for killing Fred Swartz, has not yet furnished bail and is therefore still in the county jail. He feels confident of being able to furnish bonds and does not anticipate any very severe punishment for his fatal tilt with a pistol.

[illegible] By the Eureka, from Alaska will arrive Deputy U. S. Marshal Chas. Burns, who has in charge three prisoners. Two have been arrested for selling liquor, and the third on a charge preferred some time since, of [illegible].

OREGON BIBLE SOCIETY.

Annual Meeting last Evening at the Presbyterian Church—Work of the Society During the Past Year.

There was a goodly attendance at the annual meeting of the Oregon Bible Society last evening in the First Presbyterian church to hear the reports of officers and discuss measures to further the purposes for which they were banded together. The platform was occupied by the Revs. A. L. Lindsley D. D., Geo. W. Izer, F. R. Marvin D. D., and E. T. Lee. After some preliminary remarks by the president, Dr. Lindsley, the report of the secretary was called for. Following is a summary of the most interesting portions.

The Oregon Bible society meets to-night, in its thirty-fifth annual session, for the transaction of business and to hear reports from the various officers. The year just passed, as will be seen by the reports that follow, show a more active work than the preceding.

The executive committee at the beginning of the year resolved upon a more thorough and extensive canvass of the field, and can report a very satisfactory work accomplished.

Following is a summary of the work of the canvassing and volunteer agents of the society:

Number of miles traveled	4,163
Families visited	9,376
Families found destitute	717
Destitute families supplied	441
Persons visited	845
Destitute persons supplied	251
Circulars distributed	3,780
Bibles and Testaments donated	709
Value of books donated	$192 24
Bibles and Testaments sold	1,873
Value of books sold	$1,109 60

The society had on hand February 28, 1882:

Books of the value of	$3,716 24
Value of books received since	3,372 50
Value of books to be accounted for	$7,088 74
Value of books sold during year	2,282 97
Value of books donated	288 21
Value of books destroyed by fire	114 75
Reduced in price	7 68
Value of books on hand and in depositories	4,395 13
Total accounted for	$7,088 74

The treasurer's report shows:

Cash on hand February 28, 1882	$586 95
Cash received during year from sale books	2,170 44
Cash donations	1,865 91
Total receipts	$4,036 35
Disbursements as per report	3,085 92
Balance on hand March, 1883	937 38

The executive committee have held six sessions during the year, and two branch societies have been organized by the district superintendent and recognized as auxiliaries to this society. Respectfully submitted, E. W. CORNELL, Secretary.

Eloquent addresses were made by Dr. Marvin and Rev. E. T. Lee, and the church choir entertained the audience with some excellent singing. President Lindsley then asked for contributions to the cause, and a collection being taken up realized $55 20.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Dr. A. L. Lindsley; vice-presidents, the resident pastors of the city; secretary, E. W. Cornell; treasurer, James Steel; executive committee, Dr. S. Nelson, D. W. Williams, G. Shindler, R. Weeks, Wesley Jackson, E. Quackenbush, W. H. Adams.

The society then adjourned.

BRIEF MENTION.

J. L. Ferguson succeeds John P. Ward as inspector of hulls.

Engine No. 3 is now back in its own house on Washington street.

The East Portland band will furnish music as usual at the pavilion skating rink to-night.

The fence around the Central school block, which was sold at auction for $11, has been removed.

The corral on the O. R. & N. Co.'s steamship dock has been moved to a more convenient place.

The Columbia crossed in at 5:15 yesterday afternoon and leaves for Portland at daylight this morning.

The St. Charles hotel is being repainted inside and out, giving the place a bright, fresh appearance.

Appeal papers in the case of Teal vs. Dickenson (the Balch case) have been filed in the county clerk's office.

The Jack Shea who was arrested and convicted in the police court recently, was not the genial butcher of that name.

Gas-consumers must not forget that this is the last day to receive discount on gas bills. Pay and save your dollar.

It is rumored that T. McF. Patton will give a farewell reception to the boys as soon as Ward's commission arrives.

Charles Dahleroch, a Frenchman, will explain to Justice Bushwiler of Couch precinct to-day why he assaulted and battered a fellow countryman.

Messages addressed to the following persons remain uncalled for at W. U. telegraph office. Jake Vincent, A. D. Edgar, Capt. J. J. Dorney and Jake Kleihoefer.

A. L. Maxwell, ticket agent for the O. R. & N. Co., now sells emigrant tickets by different lines from Great Britain to New York for $21, and from Scandinavian points at $26.

The annual ball of George Wright Post, G. A. R., at Turn Halle last evening, was largely attended and an exceedingly pleasant time was had. Dancing lasted until 3 o'clock this morning.

There will be the usual interesting exercises tonight at Y. M. C. A. hall. The delegates to the state alliance will make a report and there will be other speeches. Admission free, and all are cordially invited.

D. Howe, the well-known book-binder, will leave Monday morning for Walla Walla, to establish a first-class bindery. Mr. Howe needs no recommendation to the people of the inland empire, as he is in every way competent.

A gentleman who came in last night from Gull's lake reports that J. A. McCare, engineer for the North Pacific company's sawmill, fell fifteen feet on the piling block of the carriage, striking on his head, right shoulder and arms. His injuries, though very painful, are not considered serious.

County Surveyor Austin, with the assistance of W. B. Marye, is engaged in preparing a large map of Portland, East Portland, Albina and all the various outlying suburbs, additions, subdivisions, etc., etc. It is to be compiled from the official surveys and will be a valuable piece of work.

Liberty meetings will be held Sunday at Academy hall, Second and Salmon streets. At 2 o'clock superstition and miracles discussed, former arguments summed up and confessions of faith made thereon. At 6:30 music, recitation, lecture on Humboldt's theory of the atmosphere and installation of officers.

Last Thursday several members of the family of Dr. R. C. Hill, of Albany, narrowly escaped death by poisoning. The cause was found to be paris green contained in considerable quantities in some California cabbage of which they had partaken. Michael Peyson's family were also taken sick on Wednesday from the same cause.

PERSONAL.

Tony Noltner, Jr., is convalescent.

Judge Ewarts, of Pendleton, is in town.

Capt. Richard Hoyt, who is seriously indisposed, left by last night's steamer for California for the benefit of his health.

Wm. Lundburg, city electrician, contemplates a trip to Denmark some time next month. He will be accompanied by his wife, and together they will visit the scenes of [illegible].

James W. Cook left by last night's steamer for a trip to Southern California for the benefit of his health. He will return when the first chinook [illegible] [illegible].

The [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. N. S. [illegible] [illegible].

AMUSEMENTS.

[illegible]

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COUNTY COURT DOCKET.

Cases Set for Trial before Judge Stearns and Work for the Commissioners during the March Term.

The March term of the county court for Multnomah county in its various departments of law, probate and commissioners, Judge L. B. Stearns presiding, opens on Monday morning next. There are a number of important suits to be tried in this term, a small amount of work in the probate court and plenty of road matters to keep the commissioners busy for several days. Following is the docket as prepared yesterday by W. H. Wood, clerk of the court.

LAW.

L. E. Frenchelsen vs. J. Gunderson et al.
R. Williams vs. W. H. Andersen et al.
Lee Wing Sung vs. Chung Ah Kan.
J. Baker vs. W. H. Mastin.
R. N. Barrett vs. Cardwell, Bennett & Co.
Jane Dexter vs. John Thomas and R. W. Taylor.
J. R. Stoddard et al. vs. Harvey Gordon et al.
E. T. Watkins vs. Martha W. Taylor.
Jacob Mueller vs. Jos. Buchtel.

PROBATE.

Guardianship of Augusta, Benjamin, Percy and Moses Rosenstein, minors, account of guardian to be received Monday, March 5th.

Guardianship of Frances C. Campbell, an insane person, application for appointment of guardian to be heard Monday, March 5th.

COMMISSIONERS.

Relinquishment of assessment of O. & W. Mortgage Savings bank of Oregon, under advisement.

Vacation of Fourteenth street between blocks 39 and 40, Caruthers addition, under advisement.

Relocation of East Portland and Cascades road, report of viewers of damages.

Petition of J. W. Bingham for vacation of the traveled road from the south line of Caruthers' donation land claim to the Red house, under advisement.

Application of Thos. Huntington for location of road, petition [illegible] of viewers.

Road from the Vancouver road to the Sandy road, report of viewers.

HIGH SCHOOL EXERCISES.

The third in the course of weekly exercises was held yesterday, and was opened by singing. Following is the programme:

Chorus—Come to Me May	Class
Essays—Willamette River	Louise Peterson
Recitation—Prevail	Louis Perry
Essays—Spring	Inez Marshall
Recitation—Twilight	Lena Morgan
Essay—Hamlet	Clara Millard
Song—Green be your Fame Forever	Class
Recitation	Marcus Kahn
Essay—Hands in the Pockets	Laura Peterson
Recitation	Lizzie McLean
Essay—Old Times	Henry McGowan
Recitation—Gambler's Wife	James Pearcy
Song—Peace on the Deep	Class
Essay—Whip Behind	Willis Morse
Recitation	George Parrish
Essays—Popes and Emperors	Alfred Jacobs
Recitation	Eugenie Morse
Essay—Memory	Lavella Seaman
Song—Nature's Woodland Call	Class
Recitation—Men of Action	Arthur Kahn
Essay—Great Fires	Edwin P. Northrup
Recitation—Blue and the Gray	Bonita Riley
Essay—Handling Tools	Harold Pillingham
Reading—Oscar Wilde	Oscar Skattuck
Song—Away, the Night is Balmy	Class
Essay—Oregon	May Montgomery
Recitation	Capitola Seaman
Essays—Ivanhoe	Rena Goodnough
Recitation—Custer's Charge	Nellie Northrup
Song—Land of Light	Class
Recitation—Extract from Dickens	May Brooksey
Essay—Clubs	Daniel Malarkey
Recitation—Return of the Soldiers	Minnie Simon
Essay—The Moon	Lucy Stattuck
Song—I Cannot Sing the Old Songs	Class
Recitation—San Dolphin	Minnie Randall
Essay—Child's Questions	Susie Stevens
Recitation—Little Bob	Fannie Plummer
Essay—Poetry of the Clouds	Ella M. Shipley
Song—When the Shadows, Falling	Class

The programme was tastefully arranged. The recitations and essays in general were matter-of-fact while the clear and wholesome sunshine seemed to inspire the music with unusual attractiveness.

Next Friday the fourth division will make up the programme and then the decision as to which has borne off the best record may be determined.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

THE ESMOND

J C Mann, Tacoma
E L Eastman, Oregon City
H Thompson, W W
Henry Simons, S F
A A Geibman, do
Miss Jessie Winston, Casc
C Dabnes, W W
J Parker, S F
Adolph Hamburger, Dalles
Jas Banks, Dalles
A H Boyers, Duluth
L K G Smith, S F
Wm E Turner, O & C R R
P Glenn, City
R M Dunn, City
John Rassel, Olympia
W T Howell, S F
Wm Bell, Dalles
Frank Baker, W W
Arthur Marshall, City
Alu Harris, Albany, O
Wm Mitchell, Dalles

J B Linn, Weekly He
M Wolf, S F
Ed Lyons, W W
Jas Baine, S F
Miss Fannie Winston, Casc
Jas Stephens, Cascades
Martin Y Cohn, W W
Henry Meyers, S F
W C Furman, Chicago
Frank N Boyers, Duluth
W H Davis, City
C H Page, Astoria
H Young, Oak Point
A C Southmayd, Sacrkan
E C Lakin, Astoria
L B Conley, Olympia
Chris B Autrey, Astoria
Sam Coffman, Spokane Fs
F A Miller, S F
J F Collins, Dalles
Ed Cooper, Spokane
F M Loisavish, O & C R R

ST. CHARLES.

Mrs Bover y, Canyonville
M J Carkeek, Seattle
H Mulholland & wf, Freep't
Miss Mary L Richardson, St Helens
Lyman Smith, Hood river
Mrs B Walter, Monmouth
R L Morrison, Vancouver
Sam Coad, Dallas
J W Stewart, Pullman
S Stark, Prineville
C W Noltingham & family, Dalles
A F Engdel, Cowlitz
A F Dottle, Astoria
T F Olen & fly, Puyallup
M J Forester, Fairfield
Thos Sinnott, Astoria
C D Latourette, O'gn City
Oliver Waller, Tacoma
Jas Muckle, St Helens
P S Bonser, Sauvies Isl'd
L Sipall, Columbia City
W M Lyle, Prineville
J Smith, Columbia City
Mrs Warren, W W
Jas Mull, Albina

Mrs Butler, Vancouver
J Smith, Seattle
J Q A Bowlby, Astoria
Geo Hartman, Monticello
Geo W Fornor, Astoria
E R Meek, Marysville, Cal
J S Cooper, Independence
A B Lyle, Prineville
Mrs Brooks, Independence
W R Abbre, S F
N Whealdon, Salem
S F Albert, Cathlamet
Saul Walker, do
Ernest Hardt, S F
A H Wooley, Tacoma
Ed G Manders, str Kellogg
Geo Breedwell, Amity
J C Orchard, Tacoma
B F Bedwell, N Yamhill
John Proebstel, Vanc
F A Cook, Amity
L B Frazer, McCoy
S Bamford & f'my, Weston
D H Clark & wf, Goldendale
Chas Buttler, S F
Miss Miller, W W
Mrs A M Wing, Pendleton

Rail as you like about dress, but there is no question but that it helps in hiding deformity, and we verily believe had we one of Woods the hatter's new style of hats on yesterday, that policeman would have hesitated before he asked us, as he did, how we made a living. But Woods introduces his new styles to-day, and we are going to get one, you bet.

OUTGOING PASSENGERS.

The State of California sailed at midnight with the following passengers:

W P Olds
H O Johnson
James Gamble
W C Parsons
W Russel
C Russell
Lehman Blum
S Newman
C L Shefflin
W J Rogers
G Hill
J L Barker
Mrs M A Rogers
Miss J Rogers
T E Yall
A W Kinkham
Miss Stella Akin
Col Wheat
P C Howard, wf and child
A B Levy
J L Blitze
Ben Schloss
C Atwood
W B Wilshire
Mrs Miller and child, and forty-five steerage.

J P Straus
P R Cunningham
P J B Fling
A C Henderson
A Rudger
W Whetmore
J M Lane
F M Wilson
Oscar Grovenor
M Kahn
S S Douglas
J W Cook
W C Firman
Mrs Rule
Master Burge
Mrs S S Burge
P E Brigham
J M Coleman
Mrs Coleman
J L Coleman
G A Coleman
A L Miller
D K Van Zandt
Miss J Magruder

It's a safe bet that Woods the hatter will be the busiest man in Portland to-day.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

Signal service United States army. Division of telegrams and reports for the benefit of commerce and agriculture. Report for the last 24 hours. The following observations are taken at the same moment at all the stations named.

PORTLAND, March 2, 7 P. M.

Place of Observation	Height of Barom.	Change last 8 Hours	Ther.	Wind Direction	Rain-fall	State of weather
Portland	30.22	.06	42	S	[illegible]	Clear
Olympia	30.26	.10	[illegible]	Calm	[illegible]	Clear
Roseburg	30.18	[illegible]	[illegible]	Calm	[illegible]	Clear
Red Bluff	30.17	.06	[illegible]	Calm	[illegible]	Clear

Maximum 51.0. Minimum 42.1.
River 4 feet 1 inches above low water mark.

Hats! Hats! New styles. [illegible] to-day at Woods.

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Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry,
SILVER WARE,
CLOCKS, SPECTACLES, ETC.
Nautical Instruments and Ship Chronometers [illegible]

$500 REWARD!

A reward of Five Hundred Dollars $500 is hereby offered by the Fire Underwriters of San Francisco for the arrest, within six months from this date, and conviction of any person or persons found guilty of the crime of arson, by firing any property in the city of Portland, Oregon.

GAE TOUCHARD,
A. P. FLINT,
[illegible],
Committee on Arson.

San Francisco, Feb. 17, 1883.

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SPECIAL CHURCH NOTICES.

Regular Sunday services at St. Mathew's chapel, corner First and Caruther's (Episcopal), at 11 A. M. and 3:30 P. M. Seats free.

First Presbyterian Church—Corner of Washington and Third streets. Morning and evening. Subject for the evening, "China." Ushers in attendance to welcome strangers.

Seamen's Bethel M. E. Church, Third street between B and C. [illegible] pastor. Preaching 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

German Evangelical Church—Corner Twelfth and Clay streets. Preaching every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. All are cordially invited. Chas. Waechter, pastor.

The Swedish Evangelical Lutheran church, B street, between Ninth and Tenth—Sunday, at 11 o'clock A. M. and 7:30 P. M., services will be held in the Swedish language. P. Carlson, pastor.

Scandinavian Service.—There will be service in the Scandinavian language in the Baptist church, corner of Fourth and Alder streets, Sunday, the 18th inst., at 3 o'clock P. M. All are welcome. O. Okerson, missionary.

German Methodist Church, Rev. F. [illegible] will preach to-morrow at the chapel, corner North Eighth and I streets, at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. In connection with the morning service the sacrament of the Lord's supper will be celebrated.

English Services. At the corner of Eighth and Clay streets at [illegible] o'clock, in the Evangelical church. All are invited [illegible] especially those who do not belong to any church, as there will be an effort made to form a class. H. L. Bittner, pastor.

First Baptist Church, Corner Fourth and Alder, preaching by the pastor, Rev. J. A. Gray, at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject: "God and Men's Failures." Evening subject: "Godliness a Profitable Investment." Seats free. Sunday school at 12.

Hall St. M. E. church. H. K. Hines, D. D., pastor. Preaching at 11 A. M., by Rev. W. S. Bishop of East Portland, 7 P. M. Song service 7:30 P. M. Preaching by Rev. T. M. Robertson of the upper Iowa conference. All are invited and made welcome.

St. Stephen's Chapel, Corner of Jefferson and Fifth, the Rev. John Rosenberg chaplain; residence, 30 Clay street, near Tenth. Divine service will be held tomorrow at 11 A. M., with the celebration of the holy communion and an address by Bishop Morris, choral service at 3:30, and evening service at 7. Seats free. Sunday school at 10 A. M.

Taylor Street M. E. Church. Preaching morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. Geo. W. Izer. Subject, 11 A. M., "The Love Principle of the Gospel," sacrament of the Lord's supper and reception of members. Subject, 7:30 P. M., "The Divine Personality." Praise meeting at 6:45 P. M., in the lecture room. The public is cordially invited to all the services.

First Congregational Church (Corner of Second and Jefferson streets). Service at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Preaching by the pastor Rev. Dr. F. R. Marvin. The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be celebrated at the morning service. Evening subject, "Evil Communication and Good Manners." Sunday school at 12:30 P. M. Young people's meeting at 6:45 P. M.

Calvary Presbyterian Church—Corner Eleventh and Main streets. Rev. E. T. Lee, pastor; residence Ninth and Columbia streets. Services for the coming Sabbath are as follows: Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Sunday school at 12:30. All pews are free. Congregational singing. A special effort is made to welcome strangers and visitors. You are cordially invited to all these services.

Episcopal Church Service—Trinity, Oak and Sixth, Sunday, 11 A. M. and 7 P. M.; St. Stephen's chapel (Jefferson and Fifth), Sunday, 11 A. M. and 3:30 P. M.; St. Matthew's chapel (First and Caruthers), 11 A. M. and 3:30 P. M.; Trinity mission chapel (Watson's addition), 3:30 P. M.; St. Timothy's chapel (Grammar school), Sunday, 3 P. M.; Good Samaritan hospital (Twenty-first and L), Thursday, 3:30 P. M.

East Portland Pulpits.

Services at Baptist Church, corner of Seventh and G streets, East Portland. Subject for 11 A. M., "The Maximum of Life;" for 7 P. M., "Religion not all Emotion." All are welcome. Seats free. G. J. Burchett, pastor.

First Congregational Church—Holladay's addition to East Portland. Amos W. Bower, pastor. Communion service in the morning at 11 o'clock. No evening service. Sabbath school at 12:30. G. F. Plympton, superintendent.

Presbyterian services in Odd Fellows hall, corner of J and Tenth streets, Sabbath, March 4, 1883, by the pastor, Rev. D. O. Thornley. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M., Sabbath school at 12:30. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:15 P. M. Strangers made welcome.

NOT BURIED YET.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

Among your items of East Portland news this morning is this: "The Pine street ferry has been in Judge Stott's graveyard for four months. Interested parties are getting anxious for its resurrection." Just what is meant by Judge Stott's graveyard I do not know; but I do know that nothing concerning the case has been presented to Judge Stott since last spring, when he decided the motion for a preliminary injunction. And if parties interested are anxious to have anything done further in the matter they had better have their attorneys bring the case on for trial—as is their privilege at any time.

ONE WHO KNOWS.

March 2, 1883.

THE COURTS.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—STOTT, J.

THURSDAY, March 1.

Lee Chen vs. Wong Hung Chung. Verdict for the plaintiff, $197.

FRIDAY, March 2.

Sloan vs. city of Portland. Dismissed.

Pullen vs. Johnston—On trial.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY, J.

FRIDAY, March 2.

Spare vs. Home Insurance Co.—Demurrer to amended complaint argued and submitted.

U. S. vs. Barnhardt—Judgment for defendant on verdict.

Devens vs. Multnomah Railway Co.—Leave to file replication.

Adjourned till 10 A. M. Monday, March 5.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

THE PEOPLE'S WORLD-WIDE VERDICT.

Burnett's Cocoaine has been sold in every civilized country, and the public have rendered the verdict that it is the cheapest and best Hair Dressing in the world.

Burnett's Flavoring Extracts are invariably acknowledged the purest and the best.

For beauty of finish and taste in design Woods the hatter's new styles surpass anything we ever saw in the hat line.

My wife is happy. Barbey, Yamhill st., bet. First and Second, has repaired her sewing machine.

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Repairing of all kinds of sewing machines a specialty at Garrison's, 167 Third street.

All unredeemed gold and silver watches sold for the loan and interest at Uncle Myers', 161 First street.

Eastern oysters every steamer at Keith's.

The best sewing machine is the "New No. 8."

All orders must be accompanied with the cash when sent to Child's Drug Store.

The closing out sale of dry goods, millinery and cloaks at Lewis & Strouse still continues.

All the leading patent medicines can be found at Child's Drug Store, Second and Morrison.

Broken candy, 25c; mixed, 25c; fancy mixed 40c. [illegible] candy store.

Uncle Myers is holding his annual clearance sale. Now is your time for bargains. At 161 First street.

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For the very best photographs go to Geo. W. Davies, corner First and Taylor. [illegible]

Stove repairing a specialty. [illegible] Second street, between Yamhill and Taylor. [illegible] dealer in stoves, ranges and tinware.

Magazines, periodicals, sporting papers, [illegible] [illegible]

The Wheeler & Wilson's New No. 8 is the lightest running, lock-stitch sewing machine manufactured. [illegible]

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[illegible]

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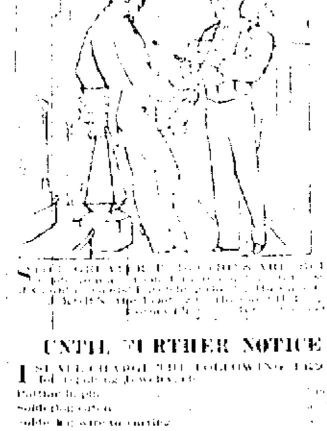

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SALEM NOTES.

[FROM THE OREGONIAN'S LOCAL CORRESPONDENT.]

SALEM, March 2.

Miss Issie McCully, of Jacksonville, is visiting friends in this city.

Miss Ella McPherson, of East Portland, is visiting with Miss Pearl Scott, of this city.

The material for Gov. Moody's new residence on [illegible] is being hauled on to the ground.

Hon. W. D. Fenton, of McMinnville, is in the city and is stopping with Hon. [illegible] H. Burnett.

The M. E. church in this city has contributed $24 towards the Bishop Haven monument fund.

An old building, the property of the Capital Lumbering company, standing near the river and north of State street, was burned a few days ago. Loss nothing, with no insurance. The Tigers [illegible] first water. The fire was undoubtedly the work of an incendiary.

Miss Pearl Scott entertained about seventy-five of her young friends last evening, the affair proving one of the pleasantest of the season. Music, dancing, social conversation, and choice refreshments made the hours pass very pleasantly, and as a hostess Miss Pearl was conceded to be very successful.

Alert hook and ladder company No. 3 held its regular meeting last evening and among other business appointed [illegible] A. E. Strang and Chas. A. Gray as a committee to act in connection with like committees from other companies to make arrangements for the forthcoming state firemen's tournament.

At the regular meeting of Capital engine company No. 1, held last evening, a committee consisting of A. B. Crossman, John G. Wright and Geo. H. Burnett, was appointed to confer with like committees from other companies to make arrangements for the state firemen's tournament to be held in this city on the 15th and 16th of June next.

The Des Chutes Lumber and Wood Road company have filed articles of incorporation in the office of the secretary of state. It proposes to construct a toll road to Hot springs, in Wasco county, to the Des Chutes river, with its principal office at the former point. Incorporators, H. A. Moore, W. H. Moore, J. W. Lapson and John C. Cavanaugh; capital stock, $1000.

Gov. Moody has appointed Hon. J. G. Church, of Eugene City, county judge of Lane county, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Hon. C. W. Finch. Mr. Church is a member of the well known firm of Robinson & Church of that city and is a gentleman of strict business integrity, of proper allowable character and one whose appointment cannot fail to give general satisfaction and an assurance that the financial affairs of the county will be managed with care and economy.

The Adelphian literary society of this city, has effected a permanent organization by the election of the following officers: A. A. Strange, president; W. L. Boise, vice president; C. K. Cranston, secretary; Hugh Thompson, assistant secretary; Cato Johns, censor; Jackson Simpson, treasurer; [illegible] Smith, librarian; Jos Cavanaugh, sergeant at arms. They have secured rooms in Adolph's brick, adopted a constitution and are now about ready to decide any and all questions of local or national import.

The city council and the proprietors of Reed's hotel building have locked horns over the removal of Luther Myers' plumbing shop to the vacant lot just west of that building, on Court street. The council granted permission and are now enjoined to recede, and as the building is already en route thither, the situation is embarrassing. A special meeting was held this morning and the matter referred to a committee, whose report, when made, may possibly find the building in its new location.

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST.

Western Oregon.

At Forest Grove several cases of petty larceny are reported.

The Dayton mills exchange spring wheat for other varieties to farmers.

Wm. Ballard, residing near Philomath, has been committed to the insane asylum.

Lang Station on the Albany and Lebanon stage road is petitioning for a postoffice.

According to the school census recently taken Oregon City has a population of 1287.

Sixty thousand ties have been contracted for on the line of the narrow gauge in Yamhill county.

The Albany city council declines to enter suit against J. A. Crawford, of the Santiam canal, for money spent by the city for repair of bridges.

A Benton county farmer says his wheat, sown in September in the dust, is hurt, but most of it shows signs of life. That sown after the October rains is all right.

The Oregon City *Enterprise* says the appointment of J. Q. Pillsbury to succeed Dr. Watts as receiver at the land office gives general satisfaction, especially among the republicans.

A family at Albany have been poisoned by eating California cabbage. No deaths. On examination the cabbage was found to contain arsenic, which probably came from the use of Paris green.

Herald: As an indication of our growing industries, it may be said that dried fruits are being shipped from this valley in considerable quantities. We have no means of obtaining the gross bulk of dried fruits shipped away from Linn county, the product of last year, but a number of firms in this city have shipped dried apples in boxes as follows: Monteith & Seitenbach, 7000 pounds; Allen & Martin, 30,000 pounds; A. B. McIlwain, 45,000 pounds; Senders & Sternberg, 40,000 pounds; J. E. Young, 61,000, making a total of 191,000 pounds shipped from Albany alone. On inquiry we find that the dried apples shipped from Albany is about one half of what has been shipped from Linn county this season, and there is quite an amount on hand yet to be shipped.

Washington Territory.

Seattle shipped 12,465 tons coal during February.

Sales of real estate at Seattle during February exceeded those of any previous month.

The proposed Presbyterian university at Tacoma, has secured $150,000 in subscriptions.

A woolen mill at Tacoma seems a certainty. Arrangements are now being made to erect a building and procure machinery. The agreement calls for its completion within six months from January 24.

On Wednesday last, a sailor belonging to the ship City of Brooklyn, at Seattle, fell from a yard arm into the water, striking the rail in his descent. Death was immediate and the body has not been recovered.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS.

Margaretta Marshall and George Marshall to E. E. Longworth, ½ of bl 26, Holladay's addn to East Portland, March 1; $4000.

Montgomery and Reid to G. V. Ross, lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, bl 7, Albina, Dec 19, 1882; $1000.

D. P. Thompson and wife to C. L. Shephard, 25 acres, E. L. Quimby, D. L. C., Jan. 25; $1250.

John W. Smith and wife and Robert Keys and wife to James Keys, lots 1, 2, 7 and 8, block 24, lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, block 39, and block 65, Holladay's addn to East Portland, March 3, 1877; $600.

A. W. Stowell and wife to D. C. McKercher, lots 1 and 2, bl 241, city, March 2; $1650.

Abrams & Knox to M. L. Curling, lot 10, bl 27, Albina, Feb. 27; $450.

J. H. Lappeus, chief of police, to A. Meier, north fraction of fractional block 331, Jan. 6; $455.

BOND FOR DEED.

Littlemeier & Woodworth to E. E. Long, lot 4, b 118, East Portland, Feb. 26; $2000.

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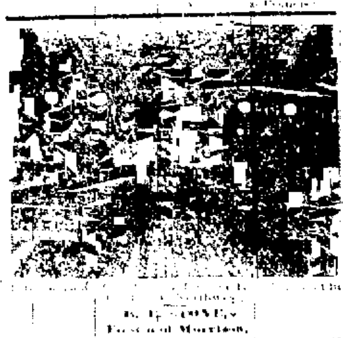

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A Pair of Gent's Cuffs,
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OR
An A1 Kid Purse with Nickel Frame,
OR
A Decorated Cup and Saucer,
OR
A Richter's Fine Harmonica,
OR
A Boy's Tool Chest,
OR
A Bottle of Lundborg's or Hoyt's Cologne,
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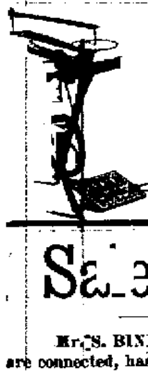

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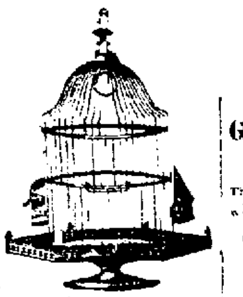

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The Daily Oregonian.

SATURDAY MORNING, MARCH 3, 1883.

A SORROWFUL SONG.

Love once kissed me,
  Unfolded his wings and fled.
Hath friendship missed me?
  Is faith in all friendship dead?
If a spell could summon
  These phantoms that [illegible]
Of men and women,
  Their very selves to show,
I might find [illegible]
  By seeking both night and day;
But I pass them, they pass me,
  And each on a lonely way.

Soul, art thou friendless,
  A lover, sorrowful, weak?
Life is not endless,
  Death is not far to seek.
Thou sailest, ever,
  Each moment if sad or kind,
Down the great river,
  It opens, it closes behind.
Far back thou seest
  The mountain tops fair azure,
Below, as thou fleest,
  The ripple, the shadow's erasure.

Why dost thou, weeping,
  Stretch forth thine arms in vain?
It breaks thy sleeping;
  Oh, drop into trance again.
In dream thou mayst go where
  Child's island is flowery grassed,
Deep shielded—it is nowhere
  Save in the Land of the Past.
Time is dying,
  The world, too; forget their moan.
The sad wind sighing
  Let murmur, this alone.

—*Fraser's Magazine.*

AFTERNOON DISPATCHES

An Interesting Record.

BALTIMORE, March 2.—Col. Harry Gilmer, who won fame in war as confederate scout, recently stricken with paralysis and since undergone surgical operation for cancer in the face resides near Baltimore and physicians entertain little hopes for his recovery.

Gilmer has long been a notable figure, and his long illness has aroused deep public interest. He was born January 24, 1838, and his father had a diplomatic post with Reeves, minister to Spain, under President Monroe. Harry Gilmer was educated at his father's county seat by a private tutor from Harvard university and learned the trade of machinist. He remained in this pursuit about one year and went to Wisconsin and afterward to Nebraska and engaged in farming. About 1859 he returned to Maryland and became a farmer. He won his military title besides renown as a cavalry officer in the cause of the southern confederacy. He went south in August, 1861, and was made sergeant major of Ashby's regiment, attached to Stonewall Jackson's brigade, and organized a company of his own. On Sept. 12th he was captured as a spy, and spent five months at Fort McHenry, Fortress Monroe and other places. He was exchanged in February, 1863. In May, 1863, he was commissioned a major, and organized a regiment of cavalry. He was the first confederate to enter Winchester after its evacuation by the federal forces. His command was in the battle of Gettysburg, and in Gen. Johnson's brigade when it passed through Fredericksburg and marched toward Baltimore. In July with a few picked men he took possession of Cockeysville and burned the first bridge over the Gunpowder river. In 1865 he was taken prisoner in Virginia and sent to Boston where he remained until after the war. Throughout the war Gilmer displayed great personal bravery. He had a number of times been badly wounded and was a favorite officer for skirmishing and reconnoitering. On account of his ever present dash and valor he was breveted colonel, by which rank he is generally known. Col. Gilmer spent three years after the war in the south of Europe. When abroad he was entertained in military and literary circles, and was present at the military review of the staff of the Duke of Cambridge. Here during the July, 1877, riots, Gilmer displayed great courage and military tact. He is at present commander of all the Maryland cavalry, a member of the corn exchange, confederate society, Knights of Pythias, Masons, etc. He was highly connected by birth and marriage.

The World on Page.

NEW YORK, March 2.—The *World* in a good-natured editorial says: "Mr. Page, to whom interests of the Pacific coast should be dearer than ruddy drops that visit his heart, has omitted from his bill that noble sheet of water in the neighborhood of San Francisco presidio, known as 'Washer Woman's Bay,' which lies among hidden bases of sand hills unfurrowed by wheels of commerce, for want of a few hundred thousand dollars to unite it with the ocean, and yet Page never though of referring to 'Our great highways' of commerce. This is a glaring instance of neglect of duty. Page & Company were sent to congress because of being wiser to send than other men. They were supposed to know what was good for those who sent them. It is their duty to reduce the surplus in the treasury, and the shortest way to do this is to appropriate millions for Washerwoman's bay, Wissahicon creek, Cold Branch, Sheeps run and Jackass gulch, and they must do it 'P. D. Q.'"

To Determine Title.

CHICAGO, March 2.—A bill was filed to-day against the United States, by the city of Chicago and the Illinois Central railroad, to determine title to lake front property through which the railroad runs, and negotiations for a sale of a portion of which to the railroad, by the city, has been pending many years. The property is worth several millions dollars and includes riparian rights and all harbor facilities. The claim in the bill is that the property belongs to the state of Illinois, and that the railroad only has right of way, 200 feet wide, through it.

A "Coal" Death.

George Holt, once a wealthy gambler, was killed to-day by the falling on him of a box of coal which was being hoisted to an upper story of a building.

Fraud Charged.

Chas. O. Corbin, of Massachusetts, has filed a bill to set aside the judgments confessed by the failed grocery firm of Fay & Conkey, on the ground of fraud.

Gov. Stephens Ill.

ATLANTA, March 2.—Gov. A. H. Stephens is seriously ill and cannot retain food. The doctors are anxious about his condition, and it is said there is danger of his dying.

Died in Quiet.

NEW YORK, March 2.—D. A. Williamson, a retired merchant, died yesterday at his home, 209, Seventh avenue. He was 63 years old. Williamson had long been a sufferer from ill health, and went to California to recuperate. He remained there three years, after which he returned to this city and lived quietly with his family, consisting of a wife and two daughters.

His Identity.

NEW YORK, March 2.—It has just been discovered that the man who was found dead in his bed at a hotel at Ostend, Belgium, July 8, was E. V. Sutter, a son of the discoverer of gold in California, General John Sutter.

Practical Fire-Escape.

NEW YORK, March 2.—A large crowd collected to-day on Broadway, attracted by the working of the fire escape at the Sturtevant house. Several men came down, and two chambermaids swung themselves from the upper windows and descended as gracefully as any fairy in pantomime. It was suggested to Sturtevant by the Newhall house fire in Milwaukee.

To use Cables.

NEW YORK, March 2.—The *Sun* says there is good promise, according to representations of Charles Henry Phelps, of the adoption of the cable system of moving street cars. Phelps represents here the traction railway company of San Francisco. Phelps said one company has already adopted it, and others are considering the subject.

French Matters.

PARIS, March 2.—In the senate the minister of war said the presence of princes in the army was unconstitutional.

The Duke of Dundefferet Pasquier, Orleanist, reproached the minister, Gen. Thibaudeau, with having committed an act which nobody else could be found to perform.

Prime Minister Ferry demanded that the order of the day be adopted.

On Trial.

PRAGUE, March 2.—The trial has begun of seven miners belonging to a secret society which has for its object the intimidation of mining officials.

Confirmations.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—The senate in executive session confirmed nominations of the civil service commissioners, Eaton, Gregory and Thomas, also A. C. Marsh, receiver of public money at Vancouver, W. T., and J. G. Pilsbury, receiver, Oregon City.

Chicago Markets.

CHICAGO, March 2.

Wheat—Turn dearer; $1.09 March.
Pork—Rather weaker; $18 20 March.
Lard—Stronger; $11 12½ March.
Ribs—Stronger; 10 12½ May.
Short Ribs—Firmer; $10 15.

MINING STOCK REPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 2.

California	15c	Eureka	[illegible]
Virginia	35c	Belcher	[illegible]
Mexican	3	Utah	[illegible]
Ophir	3½	Diablo	[illegible]
Union	5	King	11

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, March 1.

Western Union	82⅜	O. R. & N. Bonds	10[illegible]
North Western	132⅜	Pacific Mail	[illegible]
North Pacific	48⅞	Lake Shore	109
Erie	36⅞	North Pacific pfd	84
Transcontinental	83⅜	N. Y. Central	126
Or. Imp. bonds	91	Or. Imp. stock	91

AT HOME.

The Chinese Highbinder, to Have Been Hanged In San Francisco,

Cheats the Gallows this Morning by Hanging Himself.

His Guard Dies from the Effects of Excitement.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco's Darkness.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 2.—Certain citizens are calling at the office of the gas company with a view of arranging for the maintenance of lights on the [illegible] plan. The action of the supervisors in ordering the discontinuance of the gas supply for the purposes of street lighting is regarded as unnecessary and uncalled for, as the contract had been entered into for one-half the supply, and the company is naturally placed in an unfortunate position. All the lamps have been taken down and carted away, and the whole force of lighters discharged. Taxes due from the company for the last year almost exactly offset the bills which it still holds against the city, so in case a settlement of the old gas bills could be made on this basis there would be $75,000 additional at the disposal of the city, and which should pay for the usual supply of gas for street lights for the next four months.

Cheats the Gallows.

Sing Lum, the Chinese highbinder, who was to have been executed to-day, hanged himself in his cell this morning. After having passed a quiet night, he arose, chatted pleasantly with his keepers, and requested a cup of tea. The captain of the watch, who was on guard before the condemned man's cell, went to the mess room, and when he returned found the Celestial hanging from a gas pipe, suspended with plaited strips of the mattress. The body, which was quite warm, the pulse still beating, was cut down and rolled on the floor, but to no purpose, as he died soon after and was taken to the morgue. The scaffold had been prepared and everything put in readiness for the execution. He had made two previous attempts on his life.

Strange Coincidence.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 2.—A. J. Hess, who was on the death watch of Sing Lum, at the time he hanged himself, died suddenly this afternoon during a fit, induced by excitement following the discovery of the suicide. An investigation into his conduct in quitting the cell was to have been held to-morrow. He was one of a pioneer firm, and belonged to the "Monumental Sixes."

Death of an Actress.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 2.—Mrs. John Torrence, popularly known in theatrical circles as Mrs. Judah, died this morning. She has been connected with local theaters ever since the date of her arrival in 1852. Her kindness of heart endeared her to a large circle of acquaintances all over the coast. She was a native of Boston and 75 years of age.

FROM THE NORTH.

Destruction by Fire of the Industrial Home—Interesting Mining News—Death of a Pioneer, etc.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

VICTORIA, March 2.—The Eureka, Capt. Carroll, arrived at 8 o'clock last night at Esquimalt from the north, five days from Takou. The trip both ways was a pleasant one, with the exception of a few days at Juneau City.

Industrial Home Burned.

The McFarlane industrial house for Indian girls at Fort Wrangel burned to the ground on the morning of February 9th. The fire originated from sparks from a stove up stairs while the inmates were at breakfast. There were forty-three persons, including four missionaries, in the building at the time of the fire. Almost everything was lost. The citizens rendered all the assistance in their power and showed great kindness in supplying the immediate wants of those left destitute. The inmates have established themselves in their old quarters in the hospital building. Rev. J. H. Young came down by the Eureka on his way to Portland for the purpose of providing supplies and ways and means for rebuilding. It is expected that the society will shortly replace the loss by a larger and more substantial building on the old site.

Heavy Storm.

During the 9th, 10th and 11th ult. a severe wind storm was experienced at Juneau. Several houses were unroofed and some more blown down. The old residents say it was the heaviest gale that they have ever known in that region.

Good Prospects.

Very little snow has fallen this winter. Prospects are admirable for early work this season, and there is almost a certainty of a large influx of people this spring and summer.

The Eureka sailed at 5 o'clock this morning for Portland via Port Townsend, and will again leave the former port for the north on the 12th inst.

The New Discoveries.

Quigley and Ballantine arrived last evening from Cassiar. Great expectations are entertained with regard to recent discoveries of gold in the Delare. Buckhardt and Walker had returned from these diggings with considerable coarse gold, and had 3000 pounds of provisions to take back to that locality. The March mail will probably bring down definite particulars with regard to these new diggings.

Pioneer Miner Dead.

An old mining pioneer, Perry Kent, who has been in the province since 1858, died at Glenora on the 5th ult., of inflamation of the bowels, after only a few days illness. Deceased was well known in Cariboo in early days, and more recently in Omineca and Cassiar. He was a Missourian by birth.

Cassiar Mines.

Several mining claims in Cassiar have been doing tolerably well during the past winter. The weather has not been severe although a heavy snow storm occurred in the early part of the winter.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

Killed by a Saw Log.

SEATTLE, March 2.—W. N. Smith, a new comer here, was killed in the Yesler sawmill in this city to-day. He had been working there several days and was more eager than wise in trying to learn the business. When not employed at his own machine he was always poking around some other, and at the time of the accident was lying down on the carriage watching the turning over of a log. When it turned it came down on his head, crushed it and killed him. He came from Missouri last year, and he leaves a family in Southern Oregon.

Determined to Improve.

The application of H. L. Yesler for an injunction to stop certain grading, was refused by Judge Greene to-day. The improvement of streets here began last summer is going right on, a large force of men and teams being employed in it all winter and the main streets of the town being already made quite presentable in appearance. The city council to-night ordered James street improved from its lower end back to Twelfth, where it will reach the highest point in the townsite 200 feet above the level of the bay. The street work to be done this year is expected to cost $100,000.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

With Railway Supplies.

VICTORIA, March 1.—The British ship Duke of Abercorn, with a cargo of steel rails for the railway, has arrived from England. There are four other ships on the way.

Passenger List.

The steamship Dakota, with mails, freight and passengers, sailed for San Francisco at noon. The Victoria list is as follows: Mrs. and Mrs. Prior, E. Metcalf, G. T. Sifton, Miss Nelson, John Dougall and wife, John Charles, Lang Cheng.

Opened a Seam.

The Vancouver Coal Company have decided to open a seam on their property, which is believed to be identical with the Wellington coal.

Against the Enterprise.

The *Colonist*, the government organ, has a strong article in opposition to the Ainsworth-Kootenay railway and navigation scheme, and denounces it as a dangerous monopoly. It is believed the house will throw out the bill almost unanimously.

MONTHLY WEATHER REPORT.

War Department—Office of the Chief Signal Officer, Division of Telegrams and Reports for the benefit of Commerce and Agriculture—Meteorological Summary—Month of Feb., 1883—Station, Portland, Oregon.

Date.	Daily Mean Barom.	Daily Mean Temp.	Daily Mean Humid.	Prevailing direc. Wind.	Daily Rainfall
1	30.089	23.7	74.3	E	.03
2	30.437	11.7	52.0	E	......
3	30.436	14.7	56.3	E	......
4	30.677	14.5	58.4	E	......
5	30.385	13.4	54.0	E	......
6	30.312	25.4	59.3	E	......
7	30.165	21.7	62.0	N	......
8	30.425	24.0	54.7	E	......
9	30.242	22.2	48.6	N	......
10	30.197	25.1	47.0	W	*
11	29.892	28.3	70.7	E	......
12	29.454	32.8	81.0	S	54
13	29.479	35.1	89.8	S	14
14	29.659	26.1	86.7	S	07
15	30.139	37.2	81.4	W	10
16	30.527	33.7	70.4	N	......
17	30.567	33.3	74.0	N	01
18	30.462	35.3	56.7	N	75
19	30.315	42.5	92.0	NW	29
20	30.227	44.9	80.0	W	......
21	30.085	45.7	87.0	NW	1.0
22	30.233	44.7	85.4	NW	......
23	30.312	39.7	81.7	NW	*
24	30.256	39.6	75.5	E	......
25	30.305	45.3	55.3	E	......
26	30.366	50.0	54.0	W	......
27	30.246	50.4	54.0	E	......
28	30.267	47.4	70.3	W	*
Means	30.226	34.1	69.8	E	2.31

* Too small to measure.

GENERAL ITEMS.

Highest barometer, 30.719; lowest barometer, 29.415; monthly range of barometer, 1.304.

Highest temperature, 60, lowest temperature, 7; monthly range of temperature, 53.

Greatest daily range of temperature, 24.5; [illegible]

Prevailing direction of wind, E; total movement of wind, [illegible]; highest velocity of wind, 30 miles, direction E.

[illegible]

Date of [illegible].

Dates of frosts, 10th, 24th, 25th.

[illegible]

[illegible]

M. L. BLAINE,
Sergeant, Signal Corps, U. S. A.

It is impossible for a woman to suffer from weakness after taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

THE EAST SIDE.

WHAT WE DO.

In Gill's directory for 1883, (just issued) the persons representing the various professions, trades and other occupations in East Portland are respectively enumerated as follows:

Architects	1	Hardware Merchants	2
Artists	4	Hotels, Restaurants & Boarding Houses	14
Attorneys	5	House Movers	7
Bakers	4	Insurance Agents	5
Barbers	4	Jewellers	2
Blacksmiths	9	Justices of the Peace	2
Boat Builders	1	Laborers	[illegible]
Boiler Makers	3	Lather	1
Booksellers	2	Livery Stable Keepers	4
Bootmakers	3	Locksmiths	1
Brakemen	8	[illegible]	6
Brewer	1	Mariners & Sailors	3
Bricklayers	2	Masons	6
Brickmakers	2	Machinists	4
Brokers	2	Merchants	14
Butchers	[illegible]	Millers	1
Cabinet Makers & Upholsterers	11	Millwrights	3
Capitalist	4	Moulders	2
Carpenters	11	Painters	16
Chinese Laundrymen	[illegible]	Pastors	7
Cigar Dealers	5	Photographers	2
Clerks & Bookkeepers	42	Plasterers	5
Collectors	2	Plumbers	1
Conductors (R. R.)	4	Pork Packers	1
Contractors	11	Porters	6
Cook	1	Potters	1
Coopers	2	Printers & Compositors	8
Dairymen	1	Railway Agents	1
Dentists	3	Real Estate Agents	10
Doctors, Physicians & Surgeons	10	Saddlers and Harness Makers	3
Dressmakers & Seamstresses	11	Sailmakers	1
Druggists	4	Saloon Keepers	10
Engineers	28	Ship Carpenters	8
Fancy Goods Dealers	3	Shoemakers	5
Farmers	16	Steamboat Captains	8
Firemen	8	Stock Raisers	1
Fish Dealers	1	Surveyors	3
Fruit Cannery	1	Telegraph Operators	2
Fruit Stores	2	Tinsmiths	16
Furniture Dealers	8	Truckmen & Expressmen	21
Gardeners	4	Undertakers	1
Grocers	5	Wagon Makers	7
Gunsmiths	2	Washing Powder M'f'rs	1
		Well Diggers	3

DIRECTORY NOTES.

From the portion devoted to East Portland in Gill's new City Directory, the following facts are gathered:

It contains 949 names, exclusive of the names of firms.

Neppach's hall "is used for meetings of various societies."

Like Rome, East Portland, is characterized by seven "Hills."

The engine house is made the meeting room of Mount Hood H. & L. Co.

The city has 3000 population, and "its suburb on the north, Albina, is its especial pride."

Smiths continue to hold their own numerically, numbering twelve against eight Joneses.

"S. B. Turnbull," whoever he is, is made a school director in district 21, in place of S. K. West.

The directory is probably more complete than usual respecting East Portland, but is very faulty in names and locations of residents.

The fire department is made to consist of Mount Hood Hook & Ladder Co. The directory man's explorer evidently did not discover the Third ward H. & L. Co.

The Germans and Russians residing in the old Oriental building on J street, between First and Second, are disposed of by calling their habitation "Italian row."

COMMON COUNCIL.

A special meeting of the East Portland common council last evening a full council being present, except Cunningham.

President Myers stated the object of the meeting to be the transaction of general business.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS.

From property owners on Thirteenth, praying for the opening of said street from D to J street, and for the improvement of the same by grading and laying sidewalks and crosswalks four feet wide. On motion of Crane, the recorder was instructed to give the required notice in accordance therewith.

From property owners on G street, praying for the improvement of said street from the west line of Water street to the west line of Second by building an elevated roadway 36 feet wide, thence to the east line of Sixteenth street by grading and laying plank roadway 16 feet wide; also for the laying of plank crosswalks and gutters, with sidewalks four feet wide, from the east line of Twelfth street to the east line of Sixteenth. On motion of Mayo, the recorder was directed to give the required notice in accordance therewith.

From property owners on Fifth street, between I and Holladay avenue, praying for the improvement of the same according to the notice therefor heretofore given and defeated by remonstrance except that the bridge across Sullivan's gulch be 36 feet, instead of 60 feet. On motion of Mayo, the recorder was instructed to give the required notice in accordance therewith.

From Thomas R. Turnbull, asking for thirty days' extension of time on the improvement of B street. On motion of Crane, granted.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

From the committee on streets, reporting in favor of the petition of J. W. Lewis to remove a fence on Fourth street at the intersection of C, and to lay a sidewalk to his property on Fifth and C streets. On motion of Crane, adopted.

From the same committee, reporting that L. H. Looney was the lowest bidder for building the elevated roadway on Fifth street, between I and K streets, and recommending the contract be awarded him. On motion of Sliker, adopted.

From the same committee, reporting that S. M. Keenan was the lowest bidder for the improvement of Fourteenth street, except those who bid in their own property, and recommending the contract therefor be awarded him. On motion of Sliker, adopted.

From S. B. Crane, the select committee appointed to confer with the engineer of the O. R. & N. Co. concerning the Holladay avenue bridge, reporting that through his continuous absence from the city he had been unable to see that officer, and recommending that if said bridge was not completed by the time of the completion of the improvement of Holladay avenue, that the city proceed to complete said bridge at the company's expense. Sprague moved to refer to the city attorney. Passed by the following vote: Ayes, Myers, Sprague and Sliker; nays, Crane and Mayo.

CLAIMS.

The following claims against the city were read:

J. T. Stewart	$ 75 00	Chas. Barger	$ 4 60
Geo. Linville	75 00	Geo. Williams	3 00
S. R. Harrington	33 34	J. F. Parker	95
Wash Jones	66 67	L. A. Patterson	4 75
Thos. Hanks	50 00	Jones & Ausmus	6 80
J. Jerelaman	50 00	J. J. Kedderley	4 00
Henry Pape	8 33	S. Garland	20 00
Mt. Hood H. & L. Co.	4 16	H. DePledge	4 80
3d Ward H. & L. Co.	4 16	Jas. Ward	9 00
E. P. Water Co.	72 00	Thos. Turnbull	295 80
Logan & Irvin	6 50	Thos. Turnbull	482 46
Geo. Linville	6 75	J. W. Edward	5 00

On motion of Sliker, all claims were ordered paid.

ORDINANCES.

Amending an ordinance granting to the Multnomah Railroad Co., the right of way through certain streets of the city. Read three times and passed. [This requires the company to have one mile of road completed by the 1st of November 1884, and to build one mile of road each year thereafter.

Authorizing the Park railway company to construct and operate railways in the city of East Portland. Read third time and passed. This requires the company to commence operations within six months, and have one mile of road completed in one year thereafter.

Sliker moved that the communication read at the last meeting, in which the Multnomah company waived the right to certain streets in favor of the Park company, be spread upon the minutes. Carried.

RESOLUTIONS.

By Mayo, that the city surveyor be directed to make the necessary surveys and file plat for the extension of G street, from Ninth to Sixteenth, and make report at next meeting; carried.

By Mayo, that the recorder be directed to give notice that the city proposed to improve Water street by the construction of an elevated roadway 36 feet wide from the south line of I, street to the south line of [illegible] street. Carried.

By Mayo, that the committee on fire and water be authorized to advertise for and receive bids for lighting the street lamps for one year; also that the night police be reduced to one from this date.

Sprague made a plea for police protection for the outer wards.

Sprague amended by limiting the time for the lighting contract to six months, and the resolution passed.

By Mayo, that the recorder be instructed to give notice that the city proposed to improve Ninth street from the north line of E to the south line of D by grading and laying 4-foot sidewalks and crosswalks. Carried.

By Sprague, that the recorder be instructed to give notice that the city proposed to improve Adams street from the west line of Twelfth to the west line of Sixth, by grading full width and laying sidewalks and crosswalks 4 feet wide. Carried.

By Mayo, that the city surveyor be instructed to report at next meeting the number, location and condition of the monuments in the city, and also the number necessary to make the necessary surveys. Carried.

By Sprague, that the recorder be instructed to give notice that the city proposed to improve Seventh street by grading on the west side from V to Adams, and laying side and cross walks on the west side of Seventh from V to Jefferson, also, sidewalks on both sides of Jefferson from the west side of Seventh to the east side of Tenth, also on both sides of Tenth from Jefferson to Division.

On motion of Mayo, adjourned for two weeks from Monday next.

WHICH ONE?

The council last evening decided to have one of the night policemen "fired out," without designating the victim. The question arises as to which one it is, and by whose authority he can be expelled.

NOTES.

The street cleaner went his bi-weekly rounds yesterday.

J. H. Turk, a carpenter, dropped a chisel on his foot the other day, nearly severing a toe therefrom.

A man was shot through the [illegible] yesterday, but managed to elude the vigilance of the marshal.

The real estate men are able to stand all the saloon keepers in [illegible] merely, there being ten of each.

An old empty skiff was floating down the river last evening and was taken in [illegible] house. A rather suggestive circumstance.

John Atkinson, proprietor of the new [illegible] of Milwaukee, was down this week [illegible]

[illegible]

Mr. [illegible], the farmer who was kicked by a horse recently, is slowly improving. [illegible]

Mrs. M. T. [illegible], [illegible] of Mrs. R. B. Austin, will leave for [illegible] Wednesday or Thursday next, when she will remain [illegible] at the southwest corner of Seventh and G streets until property recently purchased by her on the corner of Ninth and [illegible] is ready for occupancy.

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FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

FRIDAY, March 2.

Wheat and freights show no change. San Francisco advices report wheat stronger.

Our produce markets are without noticeable change.

Receipts past 24 hours include 200 bbls valley and 80 bbls eastern flour.

Weather clear and pleasant.

The [illegible] brings quite a quantity of [illegible] wheat [illegible]

Boston Wool Market.

BOSTON, March 2.—The demand for wool is active and prices are [illegible] and well sustained. The business of the week has been [illegible], on an average amounting to [illegible] of all kinds. Sales of Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces, 42c, [illegible] for X; [illegible] for XX and XXX, and above. Michigan fleeces have [illegible] with sales 42½c for good average X. Combing and delaine fleeces firm [illegible] for fine delaine, [illegible] for No. 1 combing. Unwashed fleeces are in demand and have been selling at a wide range of prices. Desirable lots of fine and medium command full prices. Pulled wools are firm with sales of choice eastern and Maine supers 42 @ 48, and of common to good [illegible]. In foreign wool there has been sales of 100,000 pounds of Australian at 40@47.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, March 2.—A leading grain circular says wheat is quiet but fairly steady. Cargoes off coast are somewhat firmer. Cargoes to arrive are rather less depressed. At yesterday's market there was a small attendance, and the demand was restricted to white wheats which recovered one pence. Red is unchanged. Flour firm but inactive. There is an indifferent inquiry for corn at about Tuesday's rates.

Mincing Lane Markets.

LONDON, March 2.—The Mincing Lane markets have been of a speculative turn. The demand for Brazilian coffee is at advancing prices. Ceylon has risen two to three shillings per cwt. Other kinds have risen to a similar extent. There has been more inquiry for China tea. Refined and beet sugar realized from full rate to sixpence per cwt. advance.

NEW YORK FREIGHTS AND MARKETS.

NEW YORK, March 2.—Clipper freights continue fairly active but freer. Movement is still restricted by the few number of vessels in berths wherewith to accommodate offerings, which are chiefly heavy freight and in large lots, such as railroad iron, bar iron, etc. How long this state of affairs will remain it is impossible to state, but it is not likely to terminate at a very early date, although both lines will, at all times, have at least one vessel in berth. The Storm King will finish to-morrow. Vesuvius will take her berth. The Whitemore has been in receipt of several large lots of iron, &c., and probably will be loaded by the 10th inst. The John McDonald sailed yesterday with a cargo including 25 bbls sugar, 100 bbls beer, 86 bbls whisky, 280 bales rosin, 385 bales plaster, 500 bales hemp, 676 pkgs rope, 147 bbls oil, 663 tons coal and a quantity of merchant iron, railroad material, etc. Rates are very steady; on bars, $8@$9 per ton for round lots, and higher for smaller lots. As noted for the past three months the supply of tonnage is still scarce, and for long voyages is wanted at full rates. No new engagement is done for the California trade. Railroad freights are still quite active and shipments full, including 631 pkgs tobacco, 177 bags coffee, 500 boxes cheese, 500 cases castor oil, 250 cases milk, 900 cases canned goods, 1103 pkgs starch, 320 boxes soap, 200 boxes roasted coffee, 45 bbls whisky, 10 bags nuts, 10 bbls currants, 125 cases farina. As yet there has been no movement to meet the reduction made in rates by the Sunset route via New Orleans by steamer, as managers prefer to wait and see the result of the first shipment, which left here Wednesday last, but which was small. However, shipments for to-morrow's steamer are upwards of ten car loads of coffee, time of transit to be twenty days.

San Francisco Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 2.

Receipts—Wheat, 17,500 ctls; flour, 3500 qr sks; potatoes, 2500 sks; Eggs, 19,000 doz.

Wheat—The market is much stronger. There are more buyers than sellers. No. 1 spot, $1 97½@2 00. Futures are more active and higher. No. 1 white, buyer March, $2 02; buyer the season, $2 11; seller the year, $1 77½.

Barley—The market is excited, feverish and unsettled, changes on the weather. No. 1 feed advanced to $1 52 and declined to $1 41¼, buyer the season. No. 1 feed spot sold at $1 45, declined to $1 42. No. 1 feed March closed $1 33¾; May, $1 35; brewing, quotable at $1 45@1 55.

Oats—Quiet but firm. Choice, $1 85@2 00; fair to good, $1 70@1 82½.

Corn—Market unchanged. Sales Nebraska yellow, March, $1 53.

Potatoes—There is no improvement to note in this market, either in demand or values. Offerings are large. Oregon peerless, nominal, $1 50; Washington territory, $1 25@1 30.

Dried Fruit—There is a good shipping demand for apples and peaches. Stocks are small. Prices are firm and unaltered.

Green Fruit—Apples, mixed lots common; market overstocked and weak; 40@65c. Extra choice qualities jobbing, at $1 50@1 65.

Salmon—Columbia river, quotations nominal at $1 25@1 30 on river.

Wool—Market favorably affected by eastern advices. Quotations are unchanged, but asking prices are fully one cent higher for all desirable lots.

Eggs—Steady at last quotations. Demand and supplies about balance; 22@23c; extra choice quality, 24c.

Refiners have made a reduction in sugars.

FREIGHTS.

The market is steady at the decline. The undertone is far from encouraging. Other features of the market are unchanged.

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For Cork, U. K., Br. ship Cochin, iron, 1200 tons; 42s 6d.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, March 2.

Wheat—Steady; $1 15@1 20.
Wool—Steadier.
Flour—Steadier.

Beerbohm's English Market Report

LONDON, March 2.

Floating cargoes—Steady.

Cargoes on passage and for shipment—Firm but not active.

Country markets, English—Quiet.

Imports into U. K. past week, wheat—240,000 qrs.

Imports into U. K. past week, flour—275,000 bbls.

Cargoes off coast—Steady.

Mark Lane—Quiet, but steadier.

Country markets, French—Quiet.

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Red winter, per 488 lbs, off coast—48s 3d, prompt shipment, 47s.

Red winter, No. 2, per 488 lbs, off coast—47s 6d; prompt shipment, 47s.

California average cargoes, per 500 lbs, off coast—47s 6d; just shipped, 47s 6d, nearly due, 47s 9d.

California standard No. 1, per 500 lbs, just shipped or promptly to be shipped—49s; nearly due, 49s 6d.

California standard No. 2, per 500 lbs, just shipped or promptly to be shipped 48s; nearly due, 48s 6d.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, March 2.

Spot market—Firm.
Fair average red winter, per ctl—9s 6d.
California No. 1 standard, per ctl—9s 9d.
No. 2 red American spring, per ctl—9s 5d.

Paris Markets.

PARIS, March 2.

Spot market—Firm.

INDUSTRIAL CIRCLES.

To-day's nearest sale value in Liverpool of Oregon wheat, prompt shipment to U. K. per iron vessel per quarter of 500 lbs. C. I. F., nominal, 50s.

Money Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 2.—Sterling exchange on London banks, 60 days, $4 87@4 87½, documentary, $4 86@4 86½.

Transfers 20@25.

Bank of England rate of interest, 3 per cent.

NEW YORK, March 2.—Sterling exchange, prime banks, long, $4 82½; short, $4 86.

Good commercial from 1 to 2c lower; documentary, 2 to 1½c lower.

Silver bullion, 1000 fine, per fine ounce, 110¼@110½.

U. S. Bonds—3s, 104; 4½s, 113¼; 4s, 112½@112⅝.

LONDON, March 2.—Silver bullion, English standard, per fine ounce, 51.

Consols—102 5-16 money; 102⅜ account.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

Shipping Notes.

The Selene moved up to Central wharf to-day, to take in flour. She will be ready to go down river to-morrow and will lighter [illegible] tons.

The ship Cave-through, 141 days from New York, with railway material to C. H. Prescott, is outside with pilot on board.

The steamer Eureka sailed from Port Townsend at noon to-day with full cargo of coal for this port.

The steamer Columbia was in sight outside this morning.

The Young America will go down Sunday.

Domestic Ports.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 2.—Arrived—[illegible] A. M., str Queen of the Pacific, Portland, str [illegible] of Rio Janeiro, Panama, [illegible] Ella, Honolulu.

Sailed—Str George W. Elder, Victoria, str Granada, Panama, ships St Joseph and Blue Jacket.

2 P. M.—Arrived—Br ship Forest King, Bombay; [illegible] Montana, Seattle.

BOSTON, March 2.—Cleared—Amble Vesuvius, San Francisco via New York.

NEW YORK, March 2.—Sailed—Str [illegible]

[illegible]

Foreign Ports.

[illegible], March 1.—Arrived—Br [illegible], San Francisco.

Astoria Shipping.

ASTORIA, March 2.—8 A. M.—Weather clear, wind northeast.

The [illegible] for Portland with a barge at 9 A. M.

[illegible] for Portland with a cargo at [illegible]

The Prescott [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

The vessel outside is the ship [illegible], from New York, 140 days out.

[illegible] 10 A. M.—Clear; wind east. Sea [illegible]. Bar smooth.

7 P. M.—Str Columbia arrived in 7:30 P. M. Mountain Queen arrived down 6:30 P. M. Clear and calm.

THE LOST CABIN.

How Men Have Searched for it for Thirty Years—The Story of Great Wealth Probably a Hoax.

Del Norte Record.

Since the year 1852 various articles have appeared in print, not only in this state, but have found their way into the journals of the east as well, concerning the far famed stories of the "Lost Cabin." This much sought cabin has been located, according to the different tales concerning it, all the way from [illegible] to the wilds of Montana and Colorado, and the first searching party starting from various points along the coast. The last account given of the locality appeared in the Chicago Mirror of [illegible] date, headed "Tons of Gold." This cabin, however, was in Montana, and had it not been for the names of parties mentioned in this description, known to have been the same as those who figured in the "Lost Cabin" excitement in the early days in this state, we should have thought it another tale altogether. All those who were in Crescent City at an early date, will recall distinctly the excitement created by the report circulated regarding the "Lost Cabin," and the time and money expended in search for it. As the first person who went in search of it happened to be well known to us, having lived in our family for some time, and whose wife is now a member of the family, and as we are sure that we are probably better posted in the matter than any one now living, except it may be one person, who a number of years since was living in our county, we propose, briefly, to give our readers a statement of the facts as they actually occurred. In the year 1849 Colonel Samuel C. Hall crossed the plains from Missouri to California, and drifting from the tide of emigration to different parts of the country in search of the precious metal, in the summer of 1851, found himself at Trinidad. While there, a party of three men came down from the mountains, one of whom, Vinnie Thompson, was an old acquaintance of his from Missouri. After the usual greetings, questions were asked and answered in quick succession, and finally Thompson produced a large quantity of gold dust, and confided to him the secret of where it had been found, saying at the same time that there was plenty left at the place where they had been mining. They had built a cabin which they had left, and also their tools. They had three pack mules pretty well loaded with dust, and with the usual prodigality of miners in those days, thinking they had sufficient to last them the remainder of their lives, never expected to return. They had left papers in the cabin with full instructions where to locate, should they ever wish to direct others to the place. Col. Hall became greatly interested, and having entire faith in their representations, obtained from them a diagram of the country which was reported to be so rich, together with written directions how and where to find the cabin they had left but a short time before. They stated that the place was within hearing of the ocean's roar, but, as at that time but little exploring had been done on the northern coast, they could not give him the exact locality. The three men then left for the east. He immediately organized a small company and started in search of the rich digging. They followed the directions as best they could, taking a northerly course and keeping within hearing of the ocean. They spent the summer in fruitless search, and by winter, the story having gradually leaked out, other parties started in pursuit of what was known as the "Lost Cabin," meeting, however, with no better success. In the spring search was resumed, and the story having by this time been circulated that enormous wealth awaited the finder of the "Lost Cabin," parties were formed and started out from different parts of the country, having but very little idea whether it was in California region or Washington territory. Col. Hall becoming discouraged, returned to his native state in 1854. In 1855 he again came to this country with his family, and settled in Crescent City, where he remained for some years. He finally moved to Lakeport and there met Thompson who had again come to California and settled at that place. He immediately called upon the colonel; who, after a long interview with him, could never again be induced to talk upon the subject of the "Lost Cabin." It is supposed to be located somewhere near this place, and year after year it has been searched for, but no trace of the cabin ever having been discovered, many have supposed that the men who appeared at Trinidad with such large quantities of dust, had become possessed of their gold in other ways than by honest labor. However this may be, the above are the facts as they actually occurred concerning the "Lost Cabin" excitement in early times, a revival of which has from time to time caused much excitement along the coast, and a great amount of hunting by those in search of immediate wealth.

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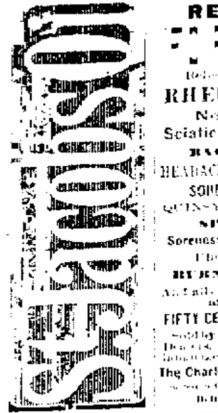

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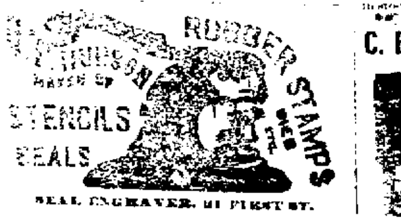

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